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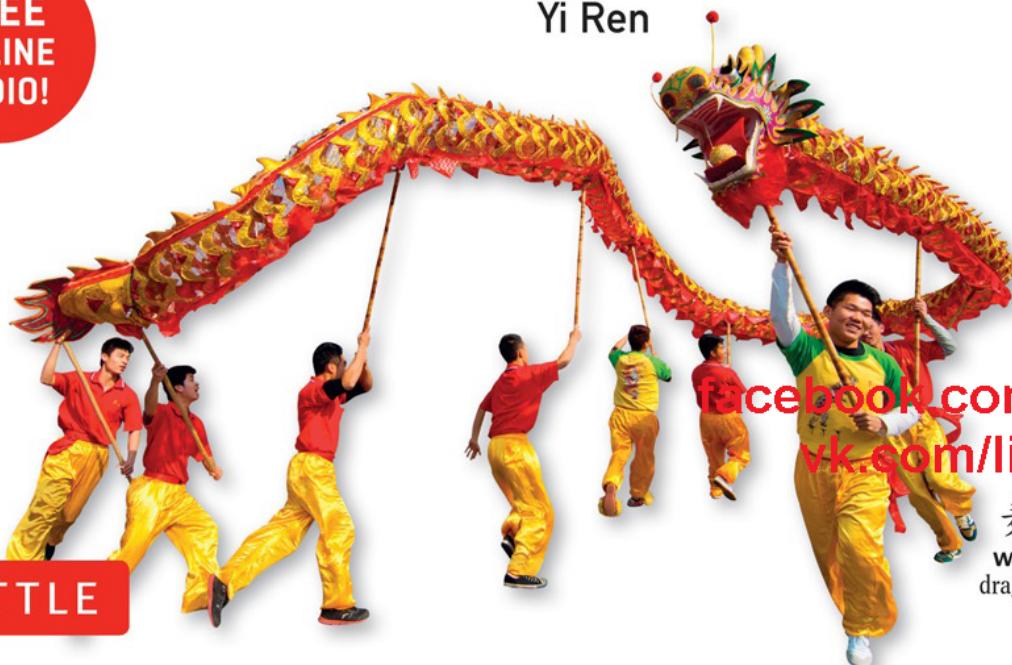


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The vocabulary is organized into 38 themes or topics. Each section presents 25–35 words and 5–8 sentences demonstrating their correct usage. Every word and sentence appears in Chinese characters along with Hanyu Pinyin pronunciation and English meaning.

Richly illustrated with over 600 color photographs, this useful Mandarin language tool includes a brief introduction to Chinese pronunciation and tones as well as an English–Chinese index for quick reference. The free online audio contains recordings by native Mandarin speakers reading all the vocabulary and sentences, so students can learn correct pronunciation!

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A Basic Introduction to Mandarin Chinese

This illustrated dictionary presents 1,500 frequently-used Mandarin Chinese words and phrases, including those that students need to know to pass the Advanced Placement Chinese Language and Culture Exam, and Levels 1–3 of the official HSK government proficiency exams. The dictionary is organized into 38 themes, each of which presents 25–35 words. Each section also has five to eight sentences demonstrating the usage of the words. The words and sentences in the dictionary all appear in the following order: Chinese characters (*Hanzi*), followed by the pronunciation in standard *Hanyu Pinyin* romanized form, followed by the English meaning.

The Chinese characters

It is often said that Chinese characters (**Hànzì 汉字**) are pictographs or ideographs, meaning that they literally represent a picture or an idea of something in stylized form. Long ago, this may have been true, and it is still true for a small number of basic characters, though most of these characters have changed quite a bit over time. Here are some examples to give you an idea of how these characters have changed:

Oracle Bone Script	Bronze Inscriptions	Small Seal Script	Traditional Character	Simplified Character	Pinyin	Meaning
日	○	日	日	日	rì	sun, day
馬	𩚻	馬	馬	马	mǎ	horse
水	氵	水	水	水	shuǐ	water
林	𣎵	林	林	林	lín	forest

Most Chinese characters quickly evolved towards abstraction, as different elements or pieces of characters were combined or fused together to form new characters that no longer provided a literal picture of something. As a result, only about 4-5% of the Chinese characters currently in use are actually pictographs or ideographs. Most of the characters are more abstract in nature, although certain elements of the characters may retain a core pictographic meaning.

For example, the character **shù** 树, meaning “tree,” has the pictographic character **mù** 木 (representing a tree) on the left side of it. In fact, many characters having to do with wood or things made of wood contain the **mù** 木 element (this is commonly referred to as a “radical” or “root”). Here are some examples: **lín** 林 (forest), **lán** 栅 (railing), **yǐ** 椅 (chair), and **bǎn** 板 (plank, board). Sometimes in the modern meaning, the link to “wood” can be hard to see, however. For example, **duǒ** 朵 has the 木 radical, but means “earlobe”. It is used in combination with the character **ěr** 耳 to mean “ear” (**ěrduō** 耳朵). The old meaning of **duǒ** 朵, however, is “flower” or “blossom,” like one you would see on a tree or bush. An earlobe might thus be thought of as “the flower of the ear.”

One reason Chinese characters became more abstract has to do with pronunciation. The Chinese language long ago developed different regional dialects which over time became separate languages—as different from one another as the languages of Europe. As these languages changed and new words developed, people needed to know how to pronounce the characters used for those words. Thus, for example, an existing character which had the sound **shù** 射 was added to **mù** 木 to represent a new word meaning “tree” which was pronounced as **shù** 樹. Here, the element 木 indicates that 樹 means “tree,” while the element 射 shows how it is pronounced—as **shù**. In more recent times, the complicated traditional form 樹 was simplified to 树. Today, about 80% of all Chinese characters combine a semantic element (something which gives meaning) and a phonetic element

(something which gives a clue to pronunciation). Here are some examples:

water radical 氵 (a variation of 水) + phonetic **yáng** 羊
(sheep) = **yáng** 洋 (ocean)

woman radical 女 + phonetic **mǎ** 马 (horse) = **mā** 妈 (mother)

rain radical 雨 + phonetic **lìng** 令 (to order) = **líng** 零 (falling [rain]; zero)

grass radical 艹 (from the old character 艸) + phonetic **huà** 化
(to change) = **huā** 花 (flower)

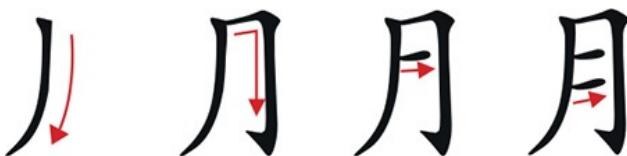
In the characters above, the phonetic element adds nothing to the meaning: it just provides the sound.

As they became more complicated, Chinese characters also became more difficult to learn and remember, as well as more difficult and time-consuming to write. The process of using simplified or shorthand forms for the characters had been going on for a long time, and was accelerated dramatically in the 1950s and '60s by the Chinese government, which created simpler versions of many characters—now called “Simplified Chinese Characters”—to promote literacy in China. Under this new system, many common Hanzi elements were simplified.

For example, when **yán** 言 (to speak) is used as a part of another character, it is rendered as 言 and not 言. Thus, the traditional character **qǐng** 請 (“please”) which has **yán** 言 on the left side is now written as 请. In other cases, whole characters were simplified. For instance, the commonly used counting word **gè** 個 has been changed to 个, and **jǐ** 幾 (*many*) has been changed to 几 (this character can also mean “table”). Here are some other examples of traditional and simplified forms of characters: 麽 → 么 **me** (*what?*); 興 → 兴 **xìng** (*mood*); 問 → 问 **wèn** (*to ask; question*); and 兒 → 儿 **ér** (*child*).

Writing Chinese characters

Each **Hànzì** character is made up of a number of individual lines or “strokes” that were traditionally written using a brush and ink. The order of strokes, along with the writing of the strokes themselves, follows the convention of top to bottom and left to right, although there are some exceptions. Not all strokes are in a single line; some involve a change of direction. For example, the character **yuè** 月 (meaning “moon” or “month”) has only four strokes, and is written:



Note that the second stroke begins at the left, and then hooks straight down. It should be written in one continuous motion, without the pen or pencil leaving the paper.

If a character has multiple components, the general rule is to go from left to right, and from top to bottom. For example, this is the stroke order for the character **qǐng** 请 (please):



Sometimes, one element of a character encloses another character. The general rule is that you write the enclosing element first, except for the final closing stroke, which is written last. For example, **guó** 国 (country):



Finally, some characters have an element that encloses another element, but only on the left and the bottom. In this case, you usually write the enclosing character last. An example is **sòng** 送 (to send):

• 兰 兰 并 关 关 送 送

Word formation in Chinese

In most cases in Chinese, **Hànzì** are not used alone to form words. Rather, words are formed with two or sometimes three **Hànzì**. In some cases, the same **Hànzì** is just repeated. This is particularly true of family names, such as **māma** 妈妈 (*mother*), **bàba** 爸爸 (*father*) and **dìdi** 弟弟 (*younger brother*). In other cases, the Chinese characters form compound nouns just as in English, for example, **gāoxìng** 高兴 (“high spirits,” i.e., *joyful*), **qǐchuáng** 起床 (“rise up [from] bed,” i.e., *wake up*) and **dòuyá** 豆芽 (*bean sprouts*). Finally, there are many cases where both **Hànzì** characters in a word have the same or very similar meanings, for example, **yāoqiú** 要求 (*to request*), **xuéxí** 学习 (*to study*), and **wǔdǎo** 舞蹈 (*dance*). In such cases, you may only need to know one of the characters in the compound to guess the meaning of the word from context.

Learning the characters

The traditional method of learning Chinese characters is to write them over and over again thousands of times, until they stick in your memory. Rote memorization is still required to some extent, no matter what. But it also helps a great deal if you learn the **Hànzì**, either individually or in combinations, as parts of words or phrases. And, of course, it is always better if you are able to spend time in a Chinese-speaking country where you are seeing and using the characters all the time. It is also useful to associate the meaning and pronunciation of each character with a memorable story or picture (these are called “mnemonics”). Just to give you an example of how this works, the character **qǐng** 请 (*please*) is made of the elements **yán** 言 (*to speak*) and **qīng** 青 (*green*). Through visualization or through a story, you can link **yán** 言 (*to speak*) and **qīng** 青 (*green*) in a way that will help you remember that these two elements combine to mean **qǐng** 请

(please). Learning Chinese characters is a bit like a puzzle or game and it can be quite fun! There are many books and flash cards on the market that use mnemonic devices such as these to help you learn the **Hànzì**.

The Hanyu Pinyin alphabet

The system used in this book for romanizing the Chinese language is the standard *Hanyu Pinyin* alphabet. In this system, Latin letters are used. Most them have pronunciations quite close to the sounds they have in English words:

Pinyin	Pronunciation	Chinese example	English meaning
a	“a” as in <u>car</u>	kàn 看	to look
b	“b” as in <u>baby</u>	bóbo 伯伯	older brother
ch	“ch” as in <u>change</u>	chuānghù 窗户	window
d	“d” as in <u>dad</u>	dà 大	large
f	“f” as in <u>fat</u>	fēn 分	cent
g	“g” as in <u>game</u>	gāo 高	high
j	“j” as in <u>jeep</u>	jiàn 见	to see
k	“k” as in <u>kettle</u>	kāi 开	to open
l	“l” as in <u>long</u>	lóu 楼	building, floor
m	“m” as in <u>mail</u>	māma 妈妈	mother
n	“n” as in <u>not</u>	nín 您	you (polite)
p	“p” as in <u>pint</u>	péngyǒu 朋友	friend
s	“s” as in <u>some</u>	sì 四	four
sh	“sh” as in <u>shop</u>	shénme 什么	What?
t	“t” as in <u>tune</u>	dìtiě 地铁	subway
w	“w” as in <u>wife</u>	wèi 胃	stomach
y	“y” as in <u>yes</u>	yào 要	to want

The following *Hanyu Pinyin* letters have pronunciations which can be slightly different from the standard English pronunciations:

- e “uh” as in duh, voiced in the back of the throat (In some vowel

- combinations and syllables ending in consonants, it is pronounced “e” as in bed.)
- h** “h” as in hotel (some speakers strongly stress the *h* so that it sounds almost like a Scottish “ch,” as in loch)
 - i** usually pronounced as a long “ee” as in feet (However, after the consonants **c**, **ch**, **r**, **s**, **sh**, **z**, and **zh** the **i** is not pronounced as “ee,” but indicates that the consonant should be drawn out with no vowel after it.)
 - o** long “o” as in owe (except after the consonants **b**, **f**, **m**, and **p** it is pronounced as **uo** [“oo-uh”].) The word **wo** 我 [*I*] takes this same pronunciation: It should be pronounced “woo-uh.”)
 - r** “r” as in rain (Although some northern Chinese speakers pronounce the **r** at the beginning of a syllable in a more guttural way, almost like **zh**. At the end of a syllable, **r** is pronounced as in the “r” in the American pronunciation of start.)
 - u** “oo” as in boot or root
 - ü** “ü” as in German or French (purse your lips while making an “eu” sound.)

The following *Hanyu Pinyin* letters are pronounced totally different than in English and so you need to pay special attention to these:

- c** “ts” as in cats
- q** “ch” as in cheese (spoken with a wide cheeks like you are making an “ee” sound)
- x** “she” as in she (The sound is closer to a drawn out “s” followed by an “ee,” rather than a simple “sh”.)
- z** “ds” as in sands
- zh** a cross between “ch” and “j” (no English equivalent)

Most vowel and consonant combinations flow naturally from the pronunciations given above. However, be careful of the following:

- ei** “ey” as in hey
- er** as the English word are; sometimes as err

ian	like the word <u>yen</u> , with an unstressed “y”
iu	pronounced as <i>iou</i> (e.g., liù 六 [six] should be pronounced <u>Leo</u> as in Leo the Lion, but without stressing the “e”)
ou	“o” as in <u>so</u>
ui	pronounced as <i>uei</i> (e.g., duì 对 [right, yes] should be pronounced “doo-ey,” and shuǐ 水[water] as “shoo-ey”)
uo	“oo-uh”
ye	“ye” as in <u>yesterday</u>
yi	“ee” as in <u>feet</u> (the y is not pronounced)

While to a native English speaker, the *Pinyin* letters **ch** and **q**, **sh** and **x**, and **zh** and **j** may sound identical, native Chinese speakers can hear distinct differences in pronunciation. You should closely listen to the audio to master the differences in these sounds.

Finally, in northern China, it is common to add a guttural /r/ at the end of nouns (to pronounce this sound, imagine a pirate saying “Argh!”). To show this in *Pinyin*, an “r” is added to the end of a syllable; in **Hànzì** the character 儿 is used. In most cases, the “r” is merely added to the pronunciation of a syllable. However, when the “r” is used after an **i**, **n**, or **ng**, these sounds are dropped altogether, so **yī diǎn** 一点 (*a little*) becomes **yī diǎnr** 一点儿 (pronounced “ee dee-ar”), and **xiǎohái** 小孩 (*child*) becomes **xiǎoháir** 小孩儿 (pronounced “shee-ow-har”). The retroflex /r/ is generally not used in *Pinyin* or *Hanzi* in this book. However, since it is so commonly used in northern China, Mandarin learners should be aware of it.

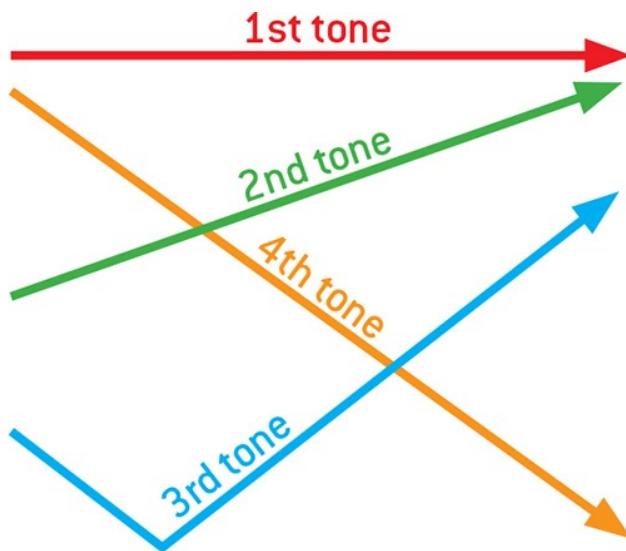
A word of warning: *Pinyin* is used for romanizing Chinese words, for teaching Chinese to foreigners, and for some signs and restaurant menus, but it is not generally used for communication within China. Since many people on the street may not be able to read *Pinyin* that well, do not imagine that it can be used as a substitute for **Hànzì** or a substitute for oral communication.

Tones

Mandarin Chinese is a tonal language. The same syllable can have several different meanings depending on its intonation. As there are four tones, each Chinese syllable usually has at least four different meanings depending on the tone, so you need to learn the tone when you learn the pronunciation of a syllable. Here is an example of the same syllable, but with different tones and different meanings:

1 st tone	mā 妈 (<i>mother</i>)
2 nd tone	má 麻 (<i>hemp</i>)
3 rd tone	mǎ 马 (<i>horse</i>)
4 th tone	mà 骂 (<i>to curse or to scold someone</i>)
5 th (neutral) tone	ma 吗 (<i>question mark or particle</i>)

The tone of a syllable is commonly written by adding a diacritical mark above the vowel, as shown above. The four tones in Mandarin Chinese can be visualized in the following chart:



The first tone starts high and stays high, like holding a high note when singing.

The second tone begins at a medium pitch, then slowly rises—like you are asking a question in English.

The third tone starts low, drops, and then rises sharply.

The fourth tone begins high and drops quickly.

In addition, there is a fifth, or neutral, tone, which is used for syllables that are not important or completely unstressed.

Please note that in certain syllable combinations the tones can change, but this change is not reflected in the written *Pinyin* forms.

It may be easier for some students to learn the proper pronunciation of the tones by practicing whole phrases and sentences in Chinese, rather than by just practicing words in isolation. Listen to the online audio carefully, and practice repeating the phrases and sentences exactly as you hear them, over and over again until you start getting it right.

Chinese grammar

The goal of this book is to teach vocabulary and phrases in Mandarin Chinese, allowing students to learn Chinese grammar through induction. That is, students see how the grammar is used in context for communication, and draw conclusions as to grammar rules from these observations. Having said that, here are a few quick notes on Chinese grammar to get you oriented.

Generally, Chinese sentences follow the same subject-verb-object word order as in English. However, unlike English, Chinese lacks articles (*a*, *an*, *the*), verbs never change form (no tenses, etc.), and plurals are not generally used (though there are exceptions).

Two factors that might be puzzling to English speakers are the use of counting words, and the use of particles. The most common counting word is **gè** 个. It is used to link numbers with the nouns that follow. For example, in Chinese, if you want to say “one person,” you have to say **yí gè rén** 一个人 (not **yì rén** 一人). A particle is a small word, like **gè** 个, which has no meaning in itself, but which is grammatically necessary. The most common particles include **de** 的 (showing possessive), **ma** 吗 (a verbal question mark), and **le** 了 (often used to signify the past tense).

There are surely many other aspects of Chinese grammar that you will notice and learn as you use this book.

How to use this picture dictionary

First, when learning Chinese, it is best to play to your strengths. Focus on what you do best (for example, speaking or reading), and come back and learn the rest later.

Second, as the vocabulary in this book is arranged by theme, it is best to approach this dictionary topically, rather than systematically. Find the topics that are useful or of interest to you, and learn those words first. Third, practice and use the words in context with the conversations and phrases provided.

Fourth, listen to the audio recordings several times and read or say the Chinese words aloud as you look at the pictures. You can also use your finger to trace out the corresponding Chinese characters as you do so. If you have time, practice writing the characters in a notebook or on blank sheets of paper. This will help reinforce your memory of the vocabulary and phrases.

Finally, this picture dictionary should be just a beginning, and not an end. If you find a topic that interests you, use the information in the picture dictionary as a jumping off point to learn more about that topic in Chinese.

The index at the end of the book will help you find the meanings of words you have learned, but which you may have forgotten. The following information is included for each entry—the English word, the Chinese word in simplified Chinese and spelled in *Pinyin*, the lesson number and the order in which the word appeared in that lesson, followed by the page number where the word appears. For example:

English word	Chinese word	Pinyin	Lesson and order	Page in book
a brief	一段时间	yí duàn shí	[15-30]	39

moment

jiān

The free online audio contains recordings by native Mandarin speakers reading all the vocabulary and sentences, so students can quickly acquire the correct pronunciation. A link to download the recordings can be found on page 96.

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很高兴和您见面！

Hěn gāo xìng hé nín jiàn miàn!

So nice to meet you!

1 你好吗？

Nǐ hǎo ma?

Hello, how are you?



3 见面

jiàn miàn
to meet

2 我很好，谢谢！

Wǒ hěn hǎo, xiè xie!

I am fine, thank you!



8 什么？

shén me?

what?



9 满意

mǎn yì
satisfied

4 小丽，这是小何。

Xiǎo Lì, zhè shì Xiǎo Hé.

Xiao Li, meet Xiao He.



5 您好！

Nín hǎo!

Hello !

10 快乐

kuài lè

happy

11 高兴

gāo xìng

joyful



6 很高兴和您见面！

Hěn gāo xìng hé nín jiàn miàn!

Pleased to meet you!

7 介绍

jiè shào

to introduce

12 叫

jiào

to call/
to be called

13 祝您

zhù nín

to express
(good wishes)



15 您好！我姓Smith。请问您贵姓？

Nín hǎo! Wǒ xìng Smith. Qing wèn nín guì xìng?

Hi, my name is Smith. What's your name?

16 我姓林，叫丽珠。这是我的名片。

Wǒ xìng Lín, jiào Lì Zhū. Zhè shì wǒ de míngpiàn.

My surname is Lin, first name Lizhu. Here's my namecard.

14 自我介绍

zì wǒ jiè shào
introduce yourself

17 再见！

Zài jiàn!

Goodbye! See you!



18 慢走！

Màn zǒu!

Take care!



19 聚会
jù huì
gathering/
meeting



Additional Vocabulary

名字
míng zi

name

姓

xìng

surname

您

nín

you (polite)

认识

rèn shí

to know

国籍

guó jí

nationality

握手

wò shǒu

shake hands

拥抱

yōng bào

to hug

亲吻

qīn wěn

to kiss

微笑

wēi xiào

smile

招手
zhāo shǒu

to wave

鞠躬
jū gōng

to bow

打个招呼
dǎ gè zhāo hū

to greet

开始会话
kāi shǐ huì huà

to start a conversation

简短交谈
jiǎn duǎn jiāo tán

to make small talk

聊天
liáo tiān

to chat; to gossip

怎么样?
Zěn me yàng?

How are things?

为什么?
Wèi shén me?

Why?

朋友
péng yǒu

friends

2

我的家

Wǒ de jiā

My family



1 儿 子
ér zi
son

2 男 人
nán rén
male

3 女 人
nǚ rén
female

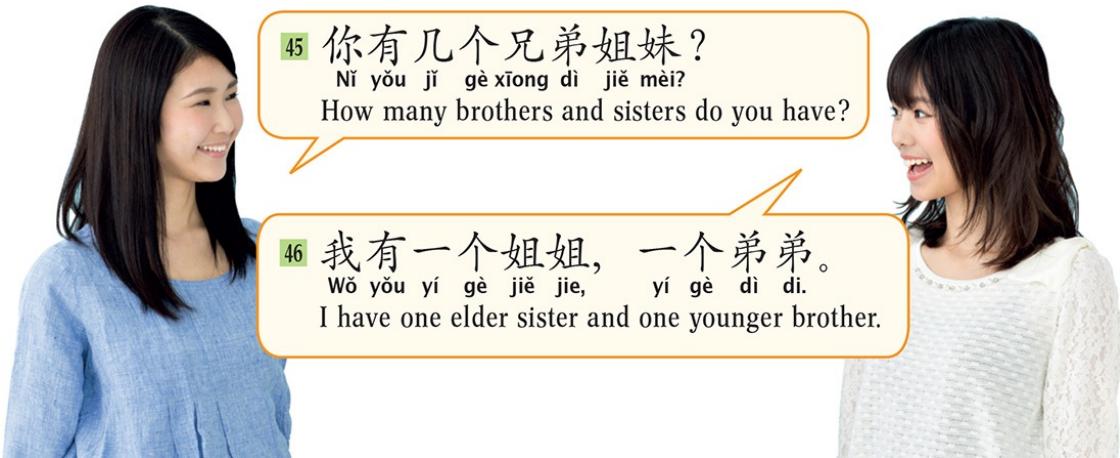


4 孩子们
hái zi men
children

5 女儿
nǚ ér
daughter



6 父母亲
fù mǔ qīn
parents



45 你有几个兄弟姐妹？

Nǐ yǒu jǐ gè xiōng dì jiě mèi?

How many brothers and sisters do you have?

46 我有一个姐姐，一个弟弟。

Wǒ yǒu yí gè jiě jie, yí gè dì di.

I have one elder sister and one younger brother.

Additional Vocabulary

妻子

qī zi

wife

丈夫

zhàng fū

husband

叔叔

shū shu

father's younger brother

姑姑

gū gu

father's sister

舅舅

jiù jiù

mother's brother

女婿
nǚ xù
son-in-law

媳妇
xí fù
daughter-in-law

孙子／孙女
sūn zi / sūn nǚ
grandson/granddaughter

亲戚
qīn qì
relatives

邻居
lín jū
neighbor

姐夫
jiě fū
brother-in-law

大嫂
dà sǎo
sister-in-law

堂哥
táng gē
older male cousin (father's side)

表弟
biǎo dì

younger male cousin (mother's side)

家

jiā

family

自己

zì jǐ

self

年轻

nián qīng

young

热情

rè qíng

enthusiastic

相信

xiāng xìn

to believe

7 爷爷
yé ye
paternal grandfather



8 奶奶
nǎi nai
paternal grandmother



9 姥爷
lǎo yé
maternal grandfather

10 姥姥
lǎo lao
maternal grandmother



11 伯伯
bó bo
father's elder brother



12 兄弟
xiōng dì
brothers

13 爸爸
bà ba
father



14 夫妻
fū qī
husband and wife



15 妈妈
mā ma
mother



16 姐妹
jiě mèi
sisters



17 阿姨
ā yí
aunt (mother's sister)



18 姐姐
jiě jié
older sister



19 哥哥
gē ge
older brother



20 我
wǒ
I; me



21 弟弟
dì di
younger brother



22 妹妹
mèi mei
younger sister



23 外甥
wài shēng
nephew



25 侄女
zhí nǚ
niece

47 我的家庭很幸福！
Wǒ men de jiā tíng hěn xìng fú!
We are a happy family!

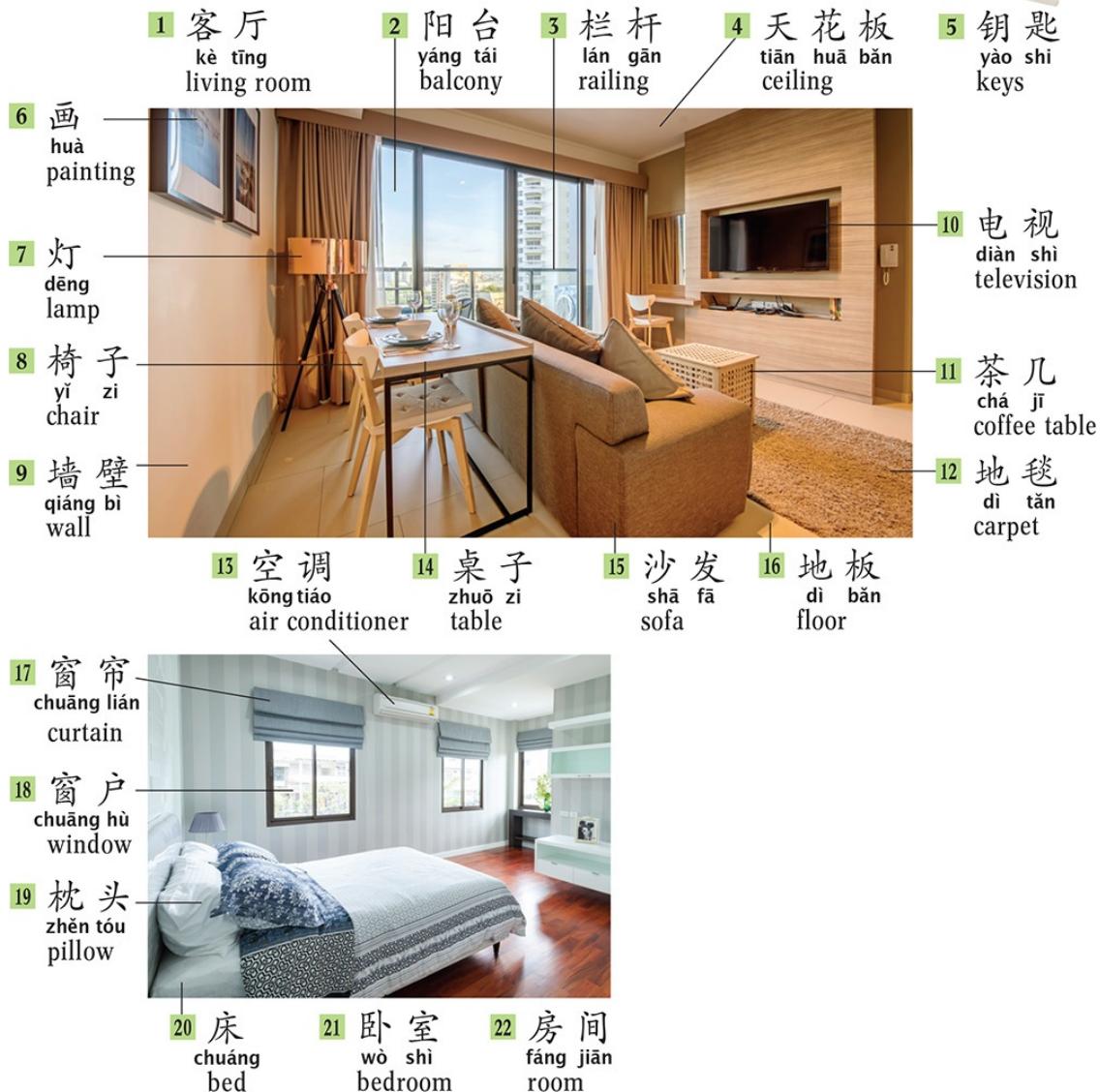


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我的房子

Wǒ de fáng zi

My house





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多漂亮的房子啊，我真想住在里面。
Duō piào liàng de fáng zi a, wǒ zhēn xiǎng zhù zài lǐ miàn.
What a beautiful house. I would love to live here.

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Additional Vocabulary

灯开关

dēng kāi guān

light switch

电源插座

diàn yuán chā zuò

electric socket; power point

房子

fáng zi

apartment; house

公寓

gōng yù

apartment

屋顶

wū dǐng

roof

阁楼

gé lóu

attic; loft

地下室

dì xià shì

basement; cellar

车库

chē kù

garage



这个房子有几层楼？

Zhè ge fáng zi yǒu jǐ céng lóu?

How many floors does this house have?

我要租房子。

Wǒ yào zū fáng zi.

I would like to rent an apartment.

好大的房子啊！

Hǎo dà de fáng zi a!

What a big house!

我想看看厨房。

Wǒ xiǎng kàn kan chú fáng.

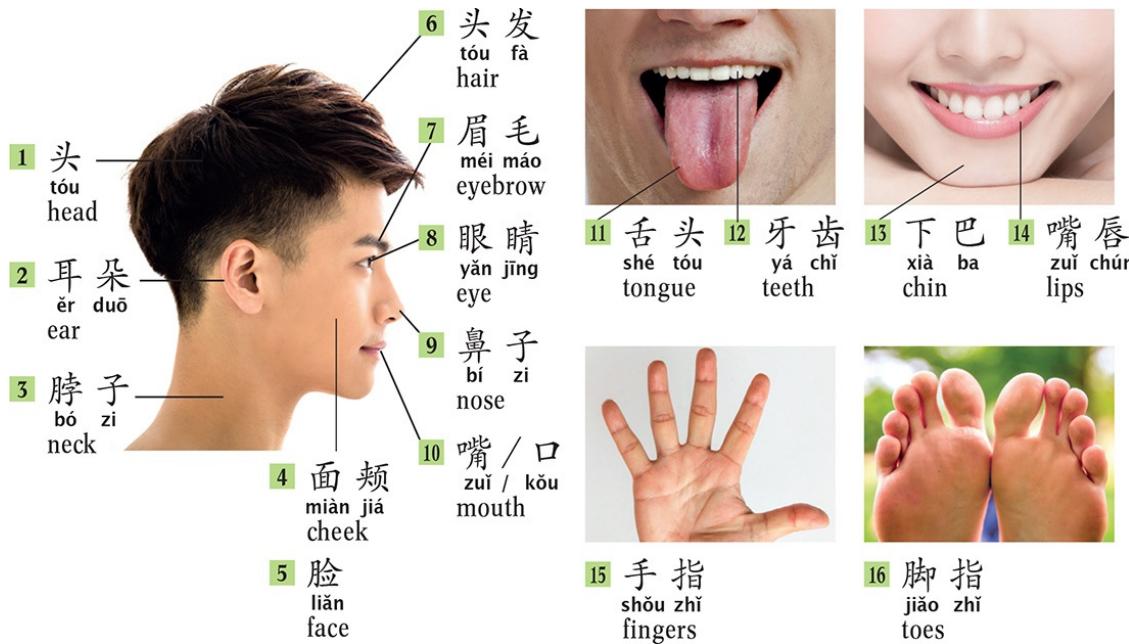
I want to see the kitchen.

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人类的身体

Rén lèi de shēn tǐ

The human body



你可以说出你身体的哪些部分？

Nǐ kě yǐ shuō chū nǐ shēn tǐ de nǎ xiē bù fèn?

How many parts of your body can you name?

你如何照顾你的身体？

Nǐ rú hé zhào gù nǐ de shēn tǐ?

How do you take care of your body?

吸烟对身体有害。

Xī yān duì shēn tǐ yǒu害.

Smoking is bad for your health.

要小心，不要吃和喝得太多。

Yào xiǎo xīn, bù yào chī hé hē dé tài duō.

Be careful not to eat and drink too much.

不要吃太多的糖果和零食。

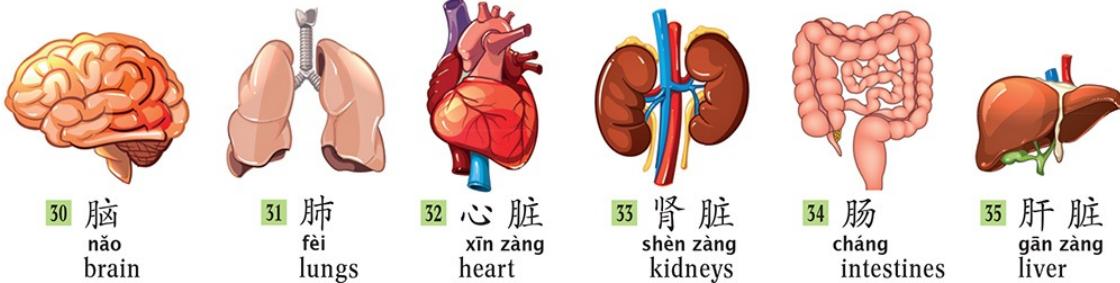
Bù yào chī tài duō de táng guǒ hé líng shí.

Don't eat too many sweets and snacks.



55 要想身体健康，就应该多锻练身体。
Yào xiǎng shēn tǐ jiàn kāng, jiù yīng gāi duō duàn liàn shēn tǐ.
To stay healthy, you should exercise every day.





Additional Vocabulary

器官

qì guān

organs

消化系统

xiāo huà xì tǒng

digestive system

呼吸系统

hū xī xì tǒng

respiratory system

神经系统

shén jīng xì tǒng

nervous system

骨骼系统

gǔ gé xì tǒng

skeletal system

皮肤

pí fū

skin

血 液

xuè yè

blood

血 管

xuè guǎn

vessels

骨 头

gǔ tóu

bone

动 脉

dòng mài

artery

静 脉

jìng mài

vein

健 康

jiàn kāng

health

疾 病

jí bìng

illness

胃

wèi

stomach



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计数和数字

Jì shù hé shù zì

Counting and numbers



1 一
yī
one



2 二
èr
two



3 三
sān
three



4 四
sì
four



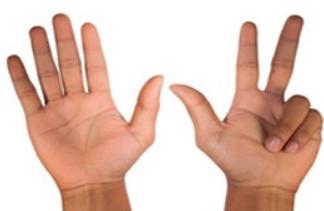
5 五
wǔ
five



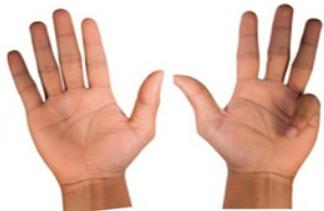
6 六
liù
six



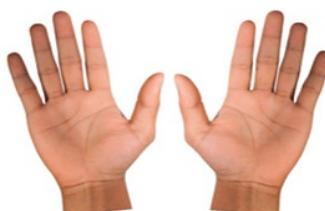
7 七
qī
seven



8 八
bā
eight



9 九
jiǔ
nine



10 十
shí
ten



11 半 / 二分之一
bàn / èr fēn zhī yī
one half



13 四分之一
sì fēn zhī yī
one quarter



15 三分之二
sān fēn zhī èr
two thirds

12 四分之三
sì fēn zhī sān
three quarters

14 三分之一
sān fēn zhī yī
one third

Cardinal Numbers 基数 jī shù

0 零 líng zero

11 十一 shí yī eleven

12 十二 shí èr twelve

13 十三 shí sān thirteen

14 十四 shí sì fourteen

15 十五 shí wǔ fifteen

16 十六 shí liù sixteen

17 十七 shí qī seventeen

18 十八 shí bā eighteen

19 十九 shí jiǔ nineteen

20 二十 èr shí twenty

21 二十一 èr shí yī twenty-one

22 二十二 èr shí èr twenty-two

23 二十三 èr shí sān twenty-three

24 二十四 èr shí sì twenty-four

25 二十五 èr shí wǔ twenty-five

26 二十六 èr shí liù twenty-six

27 二十七 èr shí qī twenty-seven

28 二十八 èr shí bā twenty-eight

29 二十九 èr shí jiǔ twenty-nine

30 三十 sān shí thirty

40 四十 sì shí forty

50 五十 wǔ shí fifty

60 六十 liù shí sixty

70 七十 qī shí seventy

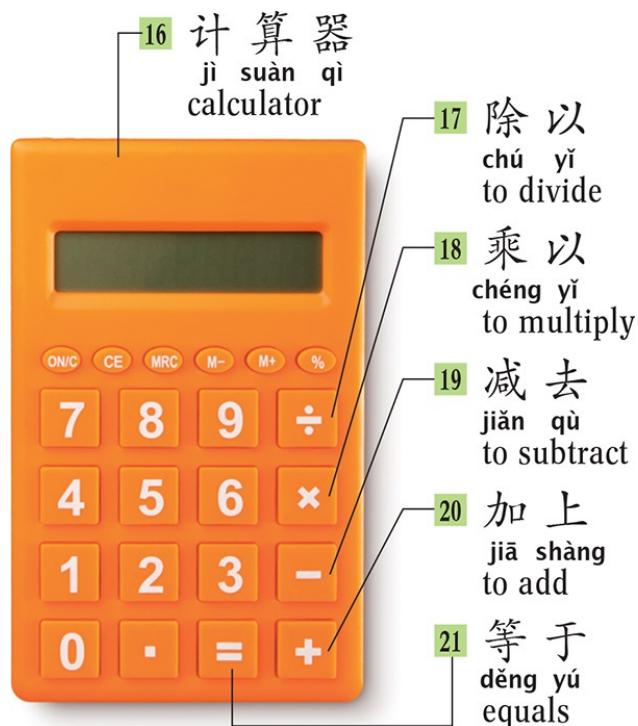
80 八十 bā shí eighty

90 九十 jiǔ shí ninety

100 一百 yī bǎi one hundred

1,000 一千 yī qiān one thousand

10,000 一万 **yī wàn** ten thousand
100,000 十万 **shí wàn** one hundred thousand
1,000,000 一百万 **yī bǎi wàn** one million
100,000,000 一亿 **yī yì** one hundred million
1,000,000,000 十亿 **shí yì** one billion
10,000,000,000 百亿 **bǎi yì** ten billion



Ordinal Numbers 序数 **xù shù**

Note: To form an ordinal number, just add the word 第 **dì** in front

of the number. For example:

1st 第一 dì yī first

2nd 第二 dì èr second

3rd 第三 dì sān third

4th 第四 dì sì fourth

5th 第五 dì wǔ fifth

6th 第六 dì liù sixth

7th 第七 dì qī seventh

8th 第八 dì bā eighth

9th 第九 dì jiǔ ninth

10th 第十 dì shí tenth

11th 第十一 dì shí yī eleventh

12th 第十二 dì shí èr twelfth

13th 第十三 dì shí sān thirteenth

20th 第二十 dì èr shí twentieth

30th 第三十 dì sān shí thirtieth

40th 第四十 dì sì shí fourtieth

50th 第五十 dì wǔ shí fiftieth

60th 第六十 dì liù shí sixtieth

70th 第七十 dì qī shí seventieth

80th 第八十 dì bā shí eightieth

90th 第九十 dì jiǔ shí ninetieth

100th 第一百 dì yī bǎi one-hundredth

1,000th 第一千 dì yī qiān one-thousandth

二加四等于六。

Èr jiā sì děng yú liù.

Two plus four equals six.

十一减五等于六。

Shí yī jiǎn wǔ děng yú liù.

Eleven minus five equals six.

十乘十二等于一百二十。

Shí chéng shí èr děng yú yī bǎi èr shí.

Ten times twelve equals one hundred and twenty.

四十二除以八等于五又四分之一。

Sì shí èr chú yǐ bā děng yú wǔ yòu sì fēn zhī yī.

Forty-two divided by eight equals five and a quarter.

Additional Vocabulary

两

liǎng

two/both

百分比

bǎi fēn bǐ

percent (%)

分 数

fēn shù

fraction

双 数

shuāng shù

even numbers

单 数

dān shù

odd numbers

数

shǔ

to count

数 码

shù mǎ

numbers

数 字

shù zì

digits

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日常活动

Rì cháng huó dòng

Daily activities



1 哭
kū
to cry



2 笑
xiào
to laugh



3 听
tīng
to listen



4 看
kàn
to look,
see

5 站
zhàn
to stand



6 坐
zuò
to sit



Additional Vocabulary

声 音
shēng yīn

sound

问

wèn

to ask

玩

wán

to play

呼吸

hū xī

to breathe

回答

huí dá

to answer

看 见

kàn jiàn

to catch sight of

上班／下班

shàng bān / xià bān

go to work / get off work

上 学

shàng xué

go to school

放 学

fàng xué

school is over

做 饭

zuò fàn

to cook; to prepare a meal

洗 个 澡

xǐ gè zǎo

to have a shower

洗 头 发

xǐ tóu fà

to wash my hair

休 息

xiū xī

to relax

吃 早 餐

chī zǎo cān

to have breakfast

吃 午 饭

chī wǔ fàn

to have lunch

吃 晚 饭

chī wǎn fàn

to have dinner

休 闲

xiū xián

leisure

学 习 时 间

xué xí shí jiān

study time

做 家 务

zuò jiā wù

to do household chores

平 常, 平 日

píng cháng, píng rì

weekday

周 末

zhōu mò

weekend

生 气

shēng qì

to get angry

解 决

jiě jué

to resolve

要 求

yāo qiú

to request

愿 意

yuàn yì

to be willing (to do something)

同 意

tóng yì

to agree

44 我每天需要八个小时的睡眠。
Wǒ měi tiān xū yào bā gè xiǎo shí de shuì mián.
I need eight hours of sleep every day.



7 睡觉
shuì jiào
to sleep



8 看电视
kàn diàn shì
to watch TV



9 写
xiě
to write



10 起床
qǐ chuáng
to wake up



11 刷牙
shuā yá
to brush teeth



12 说话
shuō huà
to talk



13 讲
jiǎng
to speak



14 大家一起用餐
Dà jiā yì qǐ yòng cān
Everybody eats together



15 搬
bān
to move

16 帮忙
bāng máng
to help

17 遛狗

liù gǒu

to walk the dog



你平常晚上做什么？

Nǐ píng cháng wǎn shàng zuò shén me?

What do you do on weekday evenings?

你周末做什么？

Nǐ zhōu mò zuò shén me?

What do you do on weekends?

你每天早上做的第一件事情是什么？

Nǐ měi tiān zǎo shàng zuò de dì yī jiàn shì qíng shì shén me?

What is the first thing you do every morning?

我洗个澡，刷个牙。

Wǒ xǐ gè zǎo, shuā gè yá.

I take a shower and brush my teeth.

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颜色, 形状与尺寸

Yán sè, xíng zhuàng yǔ chǐ cùn

Colors, shapes and sizes





2 红
hóng
red



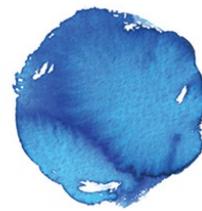
3 白
bái
white



4 黑
hēi
black



5 黄
huáng
yellow



6 蓝
lán
blue



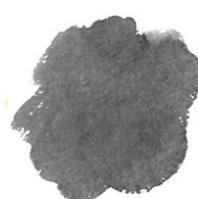
7 绿
lǜ
green



8 紫
zǐ
purple



9 棕色
zōng sè
brown



10 灰色
huī sè
gray



11 橙色
chéng sè
orange



12 粉红色
fěn hóng sè
pink



13 金色
jīn sè
gold



14 银色
yín sè
silver



15 深色
shēn sè
dark color

16 浅色
qiǎn sè
light color



17 彩虹
cǎi hóng
a rainbow

你最喜欢什么颜色？

Nǐ zuì xǐ huān shén me yán sè?

What is your favorite color?

我最喜欢的颜色是红色。

Wǒ zuì xǐ huān de yán sè shì hóng sè.

My favorite color is red.





18 长方形
cháng fāng xíng
a rectangle



19 圆形
yuán xíng
a circle



20 八角形
bā jiǎo xíng
an octagon



21 五角形
wǔ jiǎo xíng
a pentagon



22 正方形
zhèng fāng xíng
a square



23 心形
xīn xíng
a heart



24 椭圆形
tuǒ yuán xíng
an oval



25 星形
xīng xíng
a star



26 三角形
sān jiǎo xíng
a triangle



27 六角形
liù jiǎo xíng
a hexagon



28 钻石形
zuàn shí xíng
a diamond

29 服装尺码标签
fú zhuāng chǐ mǎ biāo qiān
clothing size



30 中号
zhōng hào
M size



31 小号
xiǎo hào
S size



33 大号
dà hào
L size



32 特小号
tè xiǎo hào
XS size



34 特大号
tè dà hào
XL size



35 大
dà
large



36 中
zhōng
medium



37 小
xiǎo
small

42

你有更大的吗？

Nǐ yǒu gèng dà de ma?

Do you have a larger size?



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你有其他颜色吗？

Nǐ yǒu qí tā yán sè ma?

Do you have this in other colors?



Additional Vocabulary

形 状

xíng zhuàng

shape

尺 寸

chǐ cùn

size

更 大

gèng dà

larger

更 小

gèng xiǎo

smaller

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反义词

fǎn yì cí

Opposites



1 上 ↔ 下
shàng xià
up down



2 收 ↔ 送
shōu sòng
receive give



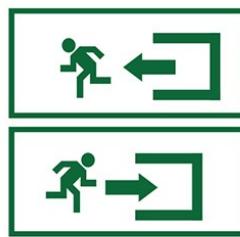
3 多 ↔ 少
duō shǎo
more less



4 旧 ↔ 新
jiù xīn
old new



5 高 ↔ 矮
gāo ǎi
tall short



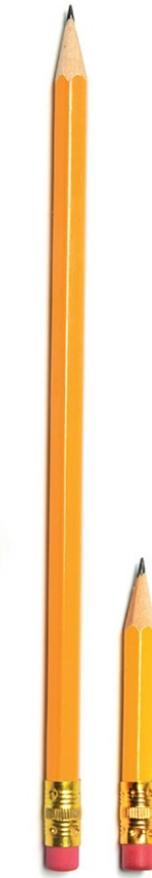
6 出 ↔ 进
chū jìn
exit enter



7 好 ↔ 坏
hǎo huài
good bad



8 忙 ↔ 闲
māng xián
busy idle



9 长 ↔ 短
cháng duǎn
long short



10 老 ↔ 少
lǎo shǎo
old young



11 大 ↔ 小
dà xiǎo
big small

12 开 ↔ 关
kāi guān
open closed



13 胖 ↔ 瘦
pàng shòu
fat skinny



Additional Vocabulary

14 穿 ↔ 脱

chuān tuō
put take
on off

15 困难 ↔ 容易

kùn nán róng yì
difficult easy

16 有 ↔ 无

yǒu wú
have do not
have

17 来 ↔ 去

lái qù
come go

18 是 ↔ 不

shì bù
yes no

19 饱 ↔ 饿

bǎo è
(eat till) hungry
full

20 到 ↔ 离

dào lí
arrive depart

21 里 ↔ 外

lǐ wài
inside outside

22 以前 ↔ 以后

yǐ qián yǐ hòu
past future

23 开始 ↔ 结束

kāi shǐ jié shù
begin end

24 近 ↔ 远

jìn yuǎn
near far

25 错 ↔ 对

cuò duì
wrong right

26 真 ↔ 假

zhēn jiǎ
real fake

27 快 ↔ 慢

kuài màn
fast slow

28 高 ↔ 低

gāo dī
high low

29 借 ↔ 还

jiè huán
borrow return

30 忘记 ↔ 记得

wàng jì jì dé
forgotten remembered

31 难过 ↔ 开心

nán guò kāi xīn
sad happy

小心的反义词是大意，不是大心，你现在清楚了吗？

Xiǎo xīn de fǎn yì cí shì dà yì, bù shì dà xīn, nǐ xiàne zài qīng chǔ le ma?

The opposite of careful is careless, not “big heart,” you clear about this now?

(Note: 小心 xiǎo xīn literally small heart, 大心 dà xīn literally big heart)

冷和热也是一对反义词。

Lěng hé rè yě shì yī duì fǎn yì cí.

Cold and hot is also a pair of opposites.

反义词是两个意思相反的词。

Fǎn yì cí shì liǎng gè yì sī xiāng fǎn de cí.

An antonym is a pair of words with opposite meaning.

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中国钱怎么说

Zhōng guó qián zěn me shuō

Talking about money

1 人民币

rén mǐn bì

Renminbi—the official currency of China



2 纸币

zhǐ bì

paper currency

3 硬币

yǐng bì

coins

4 分

fēn

cent (fen)



5 一分

yì fēn

1 cent



6 两分

liǎng fēn

two cents



7 五分

wǔ fēn

five cents



8 角/毛

jiǎo / máo

10 cents (jiao)

9 一角

yì jiǎo

10 cents



10 五角

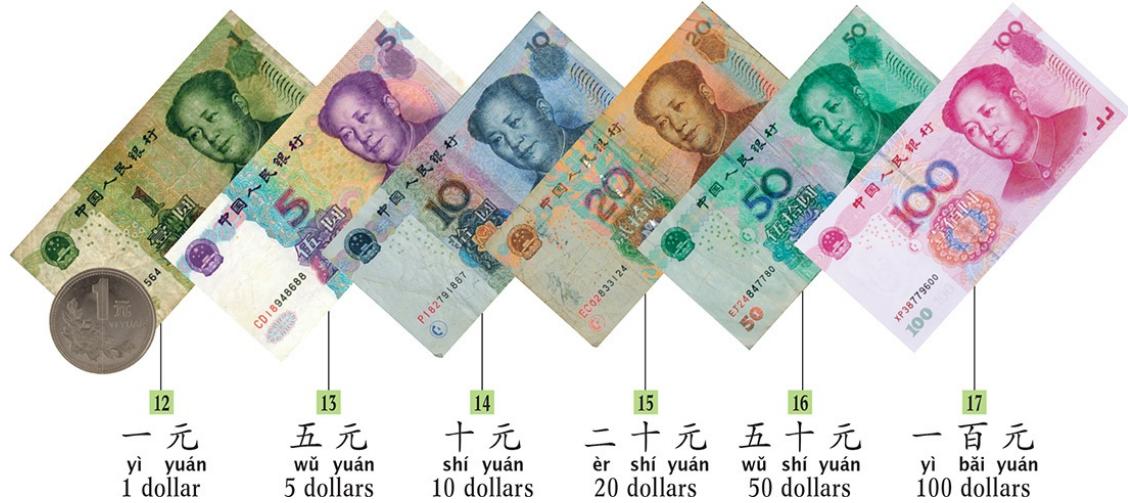
wǔ jiǎo

50 cents

11 元/块

yuán/kuài

dollar (yuan)



12 一元

yì yuán

1 dollar

13 五元

wǔ yuán

5 dollars

14 十元

shí yuán

10 dollars

15 二十元

èr shí yuán

20 dollars

16 五十元

wǔ shí yuán

50 dollars

17 一百元

yì bǎi yuán

100 dollars



18 支票
zhī piào
check



19 零钱
líng qián
small change



20 信用卡
xìng yòng kǎ
credit card



21 储蓄
chǔ xù
savings

Currency	Bank Buys Notes
US Dollar	31.51
Singapore Dollar	23.46
日本円 (100)	25.83
人民币	

22 外币兑换
wài bì duì huàn
currency exchange



23 取款
qǔ kuǎn
to withdraw
money



38 这多少钱?

Zhè duō shǎo qián?
How much does this cost?

39 二十四块九毛五分。

Ér shí sì kuài jiǔ máo wǔ fēn.
Twenty-four ninety-five
(RMB ¥24.95).

40 你能打个折吗?

Nǐ néng dǎ gè zhé ma?
Can you give a discount?

41 行, 打九折。

Xíng, dǎ jiǔ zhé.
OK, 10% discount.

Additional Vocabulary

钱

qián

coin, money

价钱

jià qián

price

折扣

zhé kòu

discount

便宜

pián yi

cheap

贵

guì

expensive

利 息

lì xī

interest

贷 款

dài kuǎn

loan; credit

债 务

zhài wù

debt

存 款

cún kuǎn

bank deposit

账 号

zhàng hào

account number



收据

shōu jù

receipt

分期付款

fēn qī fù kuǎn

installment (payment)

税

shuì

tax

现金

xiàn jīn

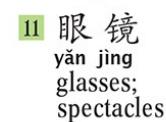
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去购物

Qù gòu wù

Going shopping



Some useful shopping expressions:

最近的购物中心在哪里？

Zuì jìn de gòu wù zhōng xīn zài nǎ lǐ?

Where is the nearest shopping center?

我可以试穿吗？

Wǒ kě yǐ shì chuān ma?

Can I try it on?

试衣间在哪里？

Shì yī jiān zài nǎ lǐ?

Where is the fitting room?

那太贵了！

Nà tài guì le!

That's too expensive!

我要了它吧。

Wǒ yào le tā ba.

I'll take it.

你接受信用卡吗？

Nǐ jiē shòu xìng yòng kǎ ma?

Do you accept credit cards?

我会用现金付款。

Wǒ huì yòng xiàn jīn fù kuǎn.

I'll pay in cash.

我可不可以要一张收据？

Wǒ kě bù kě yǐ yào yī zhāng shōu jù?

Could I have a receipt?



17 化 妆 品
huà zhuāng pǐn
cosmetics



18 玩 具
wán jù
toys



19 腰 带
yāo dài
belt



20 围 巾
wéi jīng
scarf

Additional Vocabulary

黑色星期五

hēi sè xīng qī wǔ

Black Friday

商店

shāng diàn

shop

百货商店

bǎi huò shāng diàn

department store

时装商店

shí zhuāng shāng diàn

boutique

店员

diàn yuán

shop staff

出纳员

chū nà yuán

cashier

送货上门

sòng huò shàng mén

home delivery

比较价格

bǐ jiào jià gé

comparing prices

网 络 购 物

wǎng luò gòu wù

online shopping

信 用 卡

xìn yòng kǎ

credit card

一 样

yí yàng

the same as

一 共

yí gòng

altogether

一 定

yí dìng

certainly

一 般

yí bān

generally

更

gèng

more; even more

决 定

jué dìng

decision

其 他

qí tā

other

带

dài

to bring

东西

dōng xī

things

发票

fā piào

bill; invoice

免 稅

miǎn shuì

tax free

退款

tuì kuǎn

refund

这些东西要收税吗？

Zhè xiē dōng xī yào shōu shuì ma?

Is there any tax on this?

我以后可以退税吗？

Wǒ yǐ hòu kě yǐ tuì shuì ma?

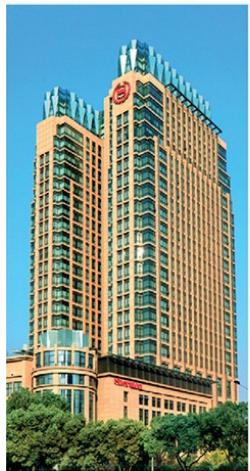
Can I refund the tax later?

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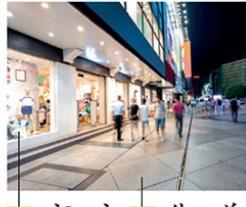
城市的生活

Chéng shì de shēng huó

Life in the city



1 宾馆
bīn guǎn
hotel



3 商店
shāng diàn
shop



5 超市
chāo shì
supermarket



6 加油站
jiā yóu zhàn
gas station/
petrol station



7 银行
yín háng
bank



8 会议中心
huì yì zhōng xīn
conference center



9 火车站
huǒ chē zhàn
train station



10 博物馆
bó wù guǎn
museum



11 城市
chéng shì
city

12 高层建筑
gāo céng jiàn zhù
skyscraper

13 公寓楼
gōng yù lóu
apartment building





14 美术馆
měi shù guǎn
art museum

15 体育馆
tǐ yù guǎn
stadium



16 邮局
yóu jú
post office

17 公安局
gōng ān jú
police station



18 高速公路
gāo sù gōng lù
expressway

19 健身房
jiàn shēn fáng
gym

Additional Vocabulary

旅 馆

lǚ guǎn

hotel

电 影 院

diàn yǐng yuàn

cinema

购 物 中 心

gòu wù zhōng xīn

shopping center; mall

市 中 心

shì zhōng xīn

downtown

商 务 中 心 区

shāng wù zhōng xīn qū

central business district (CBD)

市 郊

shì jiāo

suburb

房 子

fáng zi

apartment; house

桥

qiáo

bridge

人行道
rén xíng dào
sidewalk

邻居
lín jū
neighbor

街口
jiē kǒu
street corner

纪念碑
jì niàn bēi
monument

教堂
jiào táng
church

交通
jiāo tōng
traffic

行人
xíng rén
pedestrian

人行横道
rén xíng héng dào
pedestrian crossing

寺 庙
sì miào
temple

交 通 灯
jiāo tōng dēng
traffic lights

路
lù
road

你住在城市吗？还是在郊区？
Nǐ zhù zài chéng shì ma? Hái shì zài jiāo qū?
Do you live in the city? Or in the suburbs?

你怎么去上班？
Nǐ zěn me qù shàng bān?
How do you go to work?

机场距离市中心有多远？
Jī chǎng jù lí shì zhōng xīn yǒu duō yuǎn?
How far is the airport from the city center?

陈小姐想住在城市里。
Chén xiǎo jiě xiǎng zhù zài chéng shì lǐ.
Miss Chen wants to live in the city.

37 交通灯
jiāo tōng dēng
traffic lights



38 路
lù
road



12

美好出行

Měi hǎo chū xíng

Getting around



1 汽车
qì chē
car



2 出租车
chū zū chē
taxi

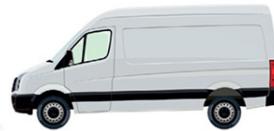
3 司机
sī jī
driver



4 飞机
fēi jī
airplane



5 卡车
kǎ chē
truck



6 垃圾车
lā jī chē
garbage truck

7 面包车
miàn bāo chē
delivery van



8 高铁
gāo tiě
high speed train

9 摩托车
mó tuō chē
motorcycle

10 跑车
pǎo chē
sports car



11 地铁
dì tiě
subway



12 公共汽车
gōng gòng qì chē
public bus

13 公共汽车站
gōng gòng qì chē zhàn
bus stop



14 船
chuán
ship; boat



15 火车

huǒ chē

train

16 消防车

xiāo fáng chē

fire engine



17 电车

diàn chē

tram

18 三轮车

sān lún chē

pedicab/trishaw

Additional Vocabulary

乘客

chéng kè

passenger

乘公共汽车

chéng gōng gòng qì chē

take a bus; by bus

赶公共汽车

gǎn gōng gòng qì chē

catch a bus

赶火车

gǎn huǒ chē

catch a train

坐火车

zuò huǒ chē

ride a train

开车

kāi chē

drive a car

骑自行车

qí zì xíng chē

ride a bike

慢一点

màn yī diǎn

slow down

快一点

kuài yī diǎn

go faster

左 转/右 转

zuǒ zhuǎn/yòu zhuǎn

turn left/turn right

一 直 走

yì zhí zǒu

go straight

火 车 时 刻 表

huǒ chē shí kè biǎo

train schedule

售 票 处

shòu piào chù

ticket counter

巴 士 路 线

bā shì lù xiàn

bus route

马 车

mǎ chē

horse carriage

打 车

dǎ chē

to call a taxi

优 步

Yōu bù

Uber

怎么样去市区最好？

Zěn me yàng qù shì qū zuì hǎo?

What is the best way to get downtown?

乘公共汽车，打车还是坐地铁。

Chéng gōng gòng qì chē, dǎ chē hái shì zuò dì tiě.

By bus, by taxi or take the subway.

如何到达地铁站？

Rú hé dào dá dì tiě zhàn?

How do I get to the subway station?

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问路与指路

Wèn lù yǔ zhǐ lù

Asking and giving directions



1 哪儿
nǎ er
where?



2 这儿
zhè er
here



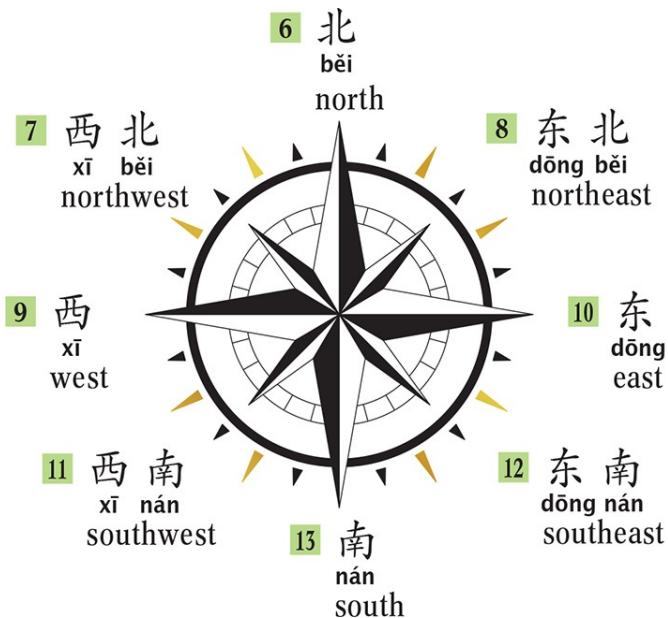
3 那儿
nà er
there



4 上面
shàng miàn
above



5 下面
xià miàn
below



14 前面
qián miàn
in front



15 后面
hòu miàn
behind

Some common phrases for asking and giving directions:



16 问路
wèn lù
asking
directions

我迷路了, 你能帮帮我吗 ?

Wǒ mí lù le, nǐ néng bāng bang wǒ ma?

I'm lost. Can you help me?

这方向是往…?

Zhè fāng xiàng shì wǎng ...?

Is this the way to ...?

有多远 ?

Yǒu duō yuǎn?

How far is it?

可以让我看看地图吗？

Kě yǐ ràng wǒ kàn kan dì tú ma?

Can you show me on the map?



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指 路

zhǐ lù

giving
directions

对不起, 我不知道。

Duì bù qǐ, wǒ bù zhī dào.

I'm sorry, I don't know.

往这边走。

Wǎng zhè biān zǒu.

It's this way.

往那边走。

Wǎng nà biān zǒu.

It's that way.

就在左边/右边。

Jiù zài zuǒ biān/yòu biān.

It's on the left/right.

就在…的旁边。

Jiù zài ... de páng biān.

It's next to

27 右边
yòu biān
right side

28 中间
zhōng jiān
middle; center

29 左边
zuǒ biān
left side





30 左转
zuǒ zhuǎn
turn left



31 直行
zhí xíng
go straight



32 右转
yòu zhuǎn
turn right



33 外面
wài miàn
outside

34 里面
lǐ miàn
inside

Additional Vocabulary

迷路
mí lù
to be lost

方向
fāng xiàng
direction

距 离

jù lí

distance

公 里

gōng lǐ

kilometer

英 里

yīng lǐ

mile

米

mǐ

meter

英 尺

yīng chǐ

foot

近

jìn

near

远

yuǎn

far

对 面

duì miàn

opposite

东 方

dōng fāng

the East

南方

nán fāng

the South

西方

xī fāng

the West

北方

běi fāng

the North

旁边

páng biān

side

附近

fù jìn

nearby

地方

dì fāng

place

一边

yì biān

one side

告诉

gào sù

to tell

经过

jīng guò

to go through

离开

lí kāi

to leave

多久

duō jiǔ

how much longer?

马上

mǎ shàng

immediately

让

ràng

to allow

已经

yǐ jīng

already

认为

rèn wéi

to think

以为

yǐ wéi

to consider

帮助

bāng zhù

to help

着急

zháo jí

to feel anxious

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关于天气

Guān yú tiān qì

Talking about the weather



1 雨伞
yǔ sǎn
umbrella

2 雨衣
yǔ yī
raincoat

3 靴子
xuē zi
boots



4 晴
qíng
clear (sky)



5 晴天
qíng tiān
clear day



6 阴
yīn
overcast



7 阴天
yīn tiān
cloudy day

8 风
fēng
wind



9 刮风
guā fēng
windy



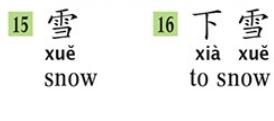
10 雨
yǔ
rain



11 下雨
xià yǔ
raining



12 闪电
shǎn diàn
lightning



13 打雷
dǎ léi
thunder

14 雷阵雨
léi zhèng yǔ
thunderstorm

15 雪
xuě
snow

16 下雪
xià xuě
to snow

17 台风
tái fēng
typhoon

今天的天气很好。明天会下雨。

Jīn tiān de tiān qì hěn hǎo. Míng tiān huì xià yǔ.

It's a beautiful day today. Tomorrow will be rainy.

今天太热。明天会很冷。

Jīn tiān tài rè. Míng tiān huì hěn lěng.

It is too hot today. Tomorrow will be cooler.





21 天气炎热
tiān qì yán rè¹
hot weather



24 云
yún
cloud



25 雾
wù
fog



26 太阳
tài yáng
sun



27 月亮
yuè liàng
moon



28 暴雨
bào yǔ
rainstorm



29 冰雹
bīng báo
hail



30 帽子
mào zi
hat



31 手套
shǒu tào
gloves

Additional Vocabulary

天气

tiān qì

weather

天气预报

tiān qì yù bào

weather forecast

好天气

hǎo tiān qì

good weather

坏天气

huài tiān qì

bad weather

天气晴朗

tiān qì qíng lǎng

sunny weather

空气污染

kōng qì wū rǎn

air pollution

飓风

jù fēng

hurricane

15

谈时间

Tán shí jiān

Telling time



4 六点
liù diǎn
6 o'clock



5 六点零五分
liù diǎn líng wǔ fēn
five minutes
past six



8 六点十五分/
liù diǎn shí wǔ fēn/
六点一刻
liù diǎn yī kè
fifteen minutes past six



9 六点半
liù diǎn bàn
half past six



10 六点四十五/
liù diǎn sì shí wǔ/
差一刻七点
chā yī kè qī diǎn
fifteen minutes to
seven



11 六点五十五/
liù diǎn wǔ shí wǔ/
差五分七点
chā wǔ fēn qī diǎn
five minutes to seven

1 小时
xiǎo shí
hour

2 分钟
fēn zhōng
minute

3 秒
miǎo
second



6 时钟
shí zhōng
clock



7 刻
kè
quarter
(hour)

37 几点了?
Jǐ diǎn le?
What's the time?

38 八点三十分。
Bā diǎn sān shí fēn.
Half past eight.



39 对不起，我迟到了。
Duì bù qǐ, wǒ chí dào le.

Sorry, I'm late.

40 没关系。
Méi guān xi.
It's OK.



12 闹钟
nào zhōng
alarm clock



13 秒表
miǎo biǎo
stopwatch



14 智能手表
zhì néng shǒu biǎo
smartwatch



15 表
biǎo
wrist watch



16 晚上
wǎn shàng
night

41 下午三点见！
Xià wǔ sān diǎn jiàn!
See you at 3 p.m.!



Additional Vocabulary

时间
shí jiān
time

早上

zǎo shàng
early morning



上午
shàng wǔ
in the morning; a.m.

中午
zhōng wǔ
noon

下午
xià wǔ
in the afternoon; p.m.

午夜
wǔ yè
midnight

准时
zhǔn shí
punctual

早
zǎo

early

迟

chí

late

点

diǎn

o'clock

之 后

zhī hòu

later

之 前

zhī qián

before

之 间

zhī jiān

between; among

一 段 时 间

yí duàn shí jiān

a brief moment

刚 才

gāng cái

a moment ago

过 去

guò qù

(in the) past

经 常

jīng cháng

frequently

一 会 儿

yí huì er

in a moment

突 然

tū rán

sudden

终 于

zhōng yú

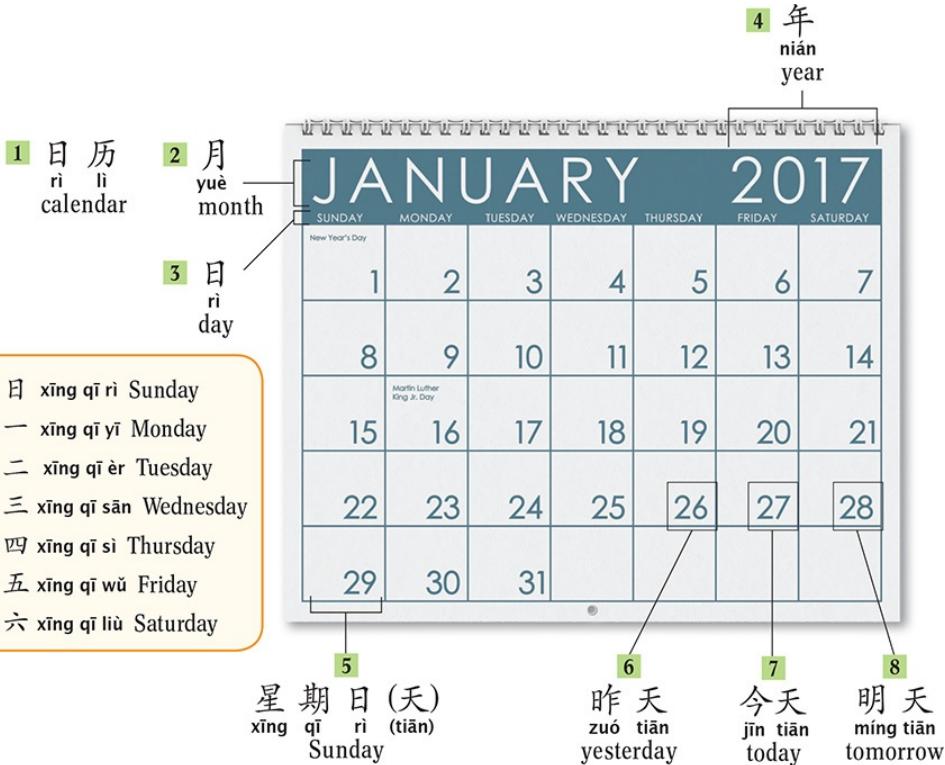
finally

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年和日期

Nián hé rì qī

Years and dates



45 我有写日记的习惯。
Wǒ yǒu xiě rì jì de xí guàn.
I like to keep a diary.



46 今天是 1 月 27 号, 星期五。
Jīn tiān shì yī yuè èr shí qī hào, xīng qī wǔ.
Today is Friday, January 27.

47 昨天是 1 月 26 号, 星期四。
Zuó tiān shì yī yuè èr shí liù hào, xīng qī sì.
Yesterday was Thursday, January 26.

48 明天会是 1 月 28 号, 星期六。
Míng tiān huì shì yī yuè èr shí bā hào, xīng qī liù.
Tomorrow will be Saturday, January 28.

How to express years, months and dates in Chinese:

In Chinese, one reads the digits of the year followed by **年** nián (which means “year”).

2017 is **二零一七年** èr líng yī qī nián

2000 is **二零零零年** èr líng líng líng nián

1994 is **一九九四年** yī jiǔ jiǔ sì nián

2013 is 二零一三年 èr líng yī sān nián

The 12 months of the year in Chinese are:

January 一月 yī yuè

February 二月 èr yuè

March 三月 sān yuè

April 四月 sì yuè

May 五月 wǔ yuè

June 六月 liù yuè

July 七月 qī yuè

August 八月 bā yuè

September 九月 jiǔ yuè

October 十月 shí yuè

November 十一月 shí yī yuè

December 十二月 shí èr yuè

Dates are expressed as the date plus 号 hào (which means “date”).

For example:

February 5 二月五号 èr yuè wǔ hào

March 31 三月三十号 sān yuè sān shí yī hào

April 1 四月一号 sì yuè yī hào

July 4 七月四号 qī yuè sì hào

December 25

十二月二十五号 shí èr yuè èr shí wǔ hào



49 你的生日是什么时候?

Nǐ de shēng rì shì shén me shí hou?

When is your birthday?

50 我的生日是1月31号。

Wǒ de shēng rì shì 1 yuè 31 hào.

My birthday is on January 31.

Additional Vocabulary

去年

qù nián

last year

前年

qián nián

the year before

今年

jīn nián

this year

明年

míng nián

next year

后年

hòu nián

the year after next

星期

xīng qī

week

岁

suì

years (of age)

闰年

rùn nián

leap year

号

hào

day of a month

十年

shí nián

decade (10 years)

世纪

shì jì

century (100 years)

千年

qiān nián

millennium (1000 years)

上个星期

shàng gè xīng qī

last week

上个月

shàng gè yuè

last month

下个星期

xià gè xīng qī

next week

下个月

xià gè yuè

next month

日记

rì jì

diary

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一年的四季

Yì nián de sì jì

The seasons of the year



1 春
chūn
spring



2 夏
xià
summer



3 秋
qiū
autumn/fall



4 冬
dōng
winter



5 温暖
wēn nuǎn
warm



6 微风
wēi fēng
a gentle breeze



7 桃花
táo huā
peach
blossoms



8 开花
kāi huā
to flower



9 细雨
xì yǔ
to drizzle



10 遮阳伞
zhē yáng sǎn
sun shade



11 戏水
xì shuǐ
water play



12 堆雪人
duī xuě rén
to make a snowman

The changing colors of the seasons.
季节的颜色变化。 Jì jié de yán sè biàn huà.



春 chūn spring blossoms 夏 xià summer greenery 秋 qiū autumn foliage 冬 dōng winter snow



13 收获
shōu huò
to harvest



14 扇子
shàn zi
fan



15 打雪仗
dǎ xuě zhàng
snowball fights



16 防晒油 /霜
fáng shài yóu / shuāng
sunblock lotion



17 庄稼
zhuāng jiā
crops

21 我喜欢去海滩和户外玩耍。

Wǒ xǐ huān qù hǎi tān hé hù wài wán shuǎ.
I like to go to the beach and play outdoors.



一年有几个季节？

Yì nián yǒu jǐ gè jì jié?

How many seasons are there in a year?

一年有四季。

Yì nián yǒu sì jì.

There are four seasons in a year.

你最喜欢哪个季节？

Nǐ zuì xǐ huān nǎ gè jì jié?

Which season do you like best?

我最喜欢的季节是夏天。

Wǒ zuì xǐ huān de jì jié shì xià tiān.

My favorite season is summer.

Additional Vocabulary

四 季

sì jì

four seasons

先

xiān

former

其 实

qí shí

actually

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欢庆节日

Huān qìng jié rì

Celebrating the holidays



1 节日
jié rì
festival, holiday



2 新年
xīn nián
New Year



4 元旦
yuán dàn
New Year's Day



5 除夕
chú xī
Chinese New Year's Eve



3 烟花
yān huā
fireworks



6 春节
chūn jié
Spring Festival
(Chinese New Year)



7 元宵节
yuán xiāo jié
Lantern Festival



8 清明节
qīng míng jié
Qingming Festival



9 赛龙舟
sài lóng zhōu
Dragon Boat Festival



12 月饼
yuè bǐng
mooncakes



11 粽子
zòng zi
rice dumplings

13 中秋节
zhōng qiū jié
Mid-Autumn Festival



14 父亲节
fù qīn jié
Father's Day

15 母亲节
mǔ qīn jié
Mother's Day



38 新年快乐！
Xīn nián kuài lè!
Happy New Year!



16 情人节
qíng rén jié
Valentine's Day



17 巧克力
qiǎo kè lì
chocolates

18 玫瑰
méi guī
roses



19 感恩节
gǎn ēn jié
Thanksgiving



20 万圣节前夕
wàn shèng jié qián xī
Halloween



21 复活节
fù huó jié
Easter



22 国庆节
guó qìng jié
National Day

Additional Vocabulary

生日
shēngrì
birthday

参加生日派对
cān jiā shēng rì pài duì
attend a birthday party

暑假

shǔ jià

summer vacation

寒 假

hán jià

winter vacation

学 校 假 期

xué xiào jià qī

school holidays

周 年

zhōu nián

anniversary

黄 金 周

huáng jīn zhōu

Golden Week

双 十 节

shuāng shí jié

Double Ten

光 棍 节

guāng gùn jié

Singles' Day

35 生日快乐！

shēng rì kuài lè!

Happy birthday!



23 礼物

lǐ wù

gift



36 圣诞节快乐！

Shèng dàn jié kuài lè!

Merry Christmas!

24 圣诞节

shèng dàn jié

Christmas

25 圣诞老人

shèng dàn lǎo rén

Santa Claus

请跟我们一起过春节。

Qǐng gēn wǒ mén yì qǐ guò chūn jié.

Please join us for the Chinese New Year celebrations.

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我爱学习

Wǒ ài xué xí

I love to learn



1 考试
kǎo shí
exams



2 读 ——————
dú
reading



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3 学习
xué xí
to learn; to study

4 数学
shù xué
mathematics

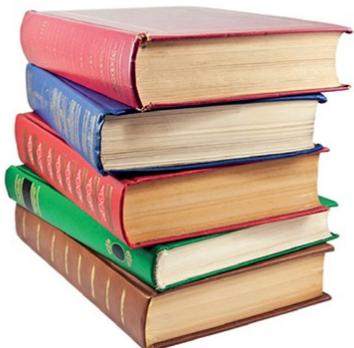


5 体育
tǐ yù
physical education



6 回答
huí dá
to answer

7 书
shū
book



8 新闻
xīn wén
the news



10 杂志
zá zhì
magazine

11 字典
zì diǎn
dictionary



12 信
xìn
letter



18 记事本
jì shì běn
notebook



19 荧光笔
yíng guāng bì¹
highlighter



20 铅笔
qiān bì¹
pencil



16 橡皮
xiàng pí¹
eraser



15 记号笔
jì hào bì¹
marker pen



17 尺, 直尺
chǐ, zhí chǐ¹
ruler



Additional Vocabulary

年级

nián jí

grade; class

懂

dǒng

to understand

练习

liànxí

to practice

复习

fùxí

to review

问题

wèntí

a question; problem

功 课

gōng kè

homework

文 学

wén xué

literature

历 史

lì shǐ

history

字

zì

word

故 事

gù shì

story

作 业

zuò yè

assignment

爱

ài

love

几 何 学

jǐ hé xué

geometry

科 学

kē xué

science

社会学

shè huì xué

social studies

经济学

jīng jì xué

economics

代数

dài shù

algebra

物理

wù lǐ

physics

化学

huà xué

chemistry

生物学

shēng wù xué

biology

微积分

wēi jī fēn

calculus

地理

dì lǐ

geography

测 验

cè yàn

test

才/才 能

cái/cái néng

talent; ability

认 真

rèn zhēn

conscientious; serious

水 平

shuǐ píng

level (of achievement)

提 高

tí gāo

to improve

极

jí

top; extreme

了 解

liǎo jiě

to understand

作 用

zuò yòng

purpose

52 我爱书！
Wǒ ài shū!
I love books!



你最喜欢的科目是什么？

Nǐ zuì xǐ huān de kē mù shì shén me?

What is your favorite subject?

我喜欢文学和历史。

Wǒ xǐ huān wén xué hé lì shǐ.

I like literature and history.

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在学校

Zài xué xiào

At school



3 图书馆
tú shū guǎn
library



4 教室
jiào shì
classroom



7 复印机
fù yìn jī
photocopier



9 举手
jǔ shǒu
raise your hand

10 教授
jiào shòu
professor



13 同学
tóng xué
classmates

14 讲堂
jiǎng táng
lecture hall

15 学生
xué shēng
student

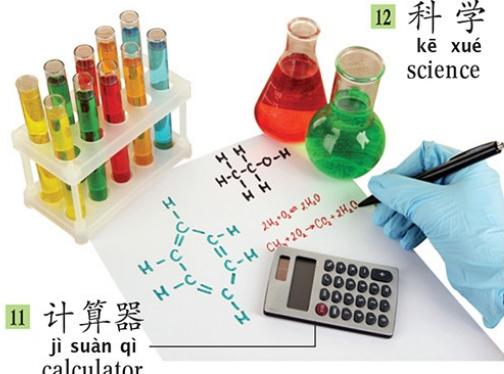
1 白板
bái bǎn
whiteboard

2 黑板
hēi bǎn
blackboard



5 教
jiāo
to teach

6 老师
lǎo shī
teacher



12 科学
kē xué
science

11 计算器
jì suàn qì
calculator

51 你的作业需要帮忙吗？

Nǐ de zuò yè xū yào bāng máng ma?
Do you need help with your assignment?



Additional Vocabulary

学校
xué xiào

school

校 长

xiao zhǎng

principal

先 生

xiān shēng

teacher

礼 堂

lǐ táng

auditorium

电 脑 教 室

diàn nǎo jiào shì

computer lab

实 验 室

shí yàn shì

laboratory

字 母

zì mǔ

alphabet

成 绩

chéng jì

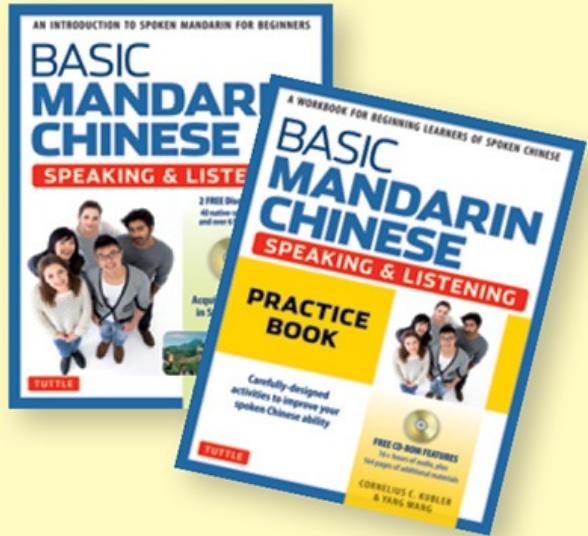
grades

聪 明

cōng míng

intelligent; clever

课本
kè běn
textbook



练习本
liànxí běn
workbook

私立学校
sī lì xué xiào
private school

公立学校
gōng lì xué xiào
public school

幼儿园
yòu ér yuán
nursery school

上小学

shàng xiǎo xué

to attend elementary school

小学

xiǎo xué

elementary school

中学

zhōng xué

middle school

高中

gāo zhōng

senior high school

大学

dà xué

university; college

大一

dà yī

freshman year in college

大二

dà èr

sophomore year in college

大三

dà sān

junior year in college

大四

dà sì

senior year in college

夜 校

yè xiào

night class

攻 读

gōng dú

to major

题

topic

必 须

bì xū

must

又

yòu

also

越

yuè

to exceed

毕 业

bì yè

to graduate



你上几年级了？

Nǐ shàng jǐ nián jí le?

What year are you?

我是大二学生。

Wǒ shì dà èr xué shēng.

I'm a sophomore in college.

我正在攻读数学专业。

Wǒ zhèng zài gōng dù shù xué zhuān yè.

I'm majoring in math.

你的专业是什么？

Nǐ de zhuān yè shì shén me?

What is your major?

你一定很聪明！

Nǐ yí dìng hěn cōng míng!

You must be very smart!

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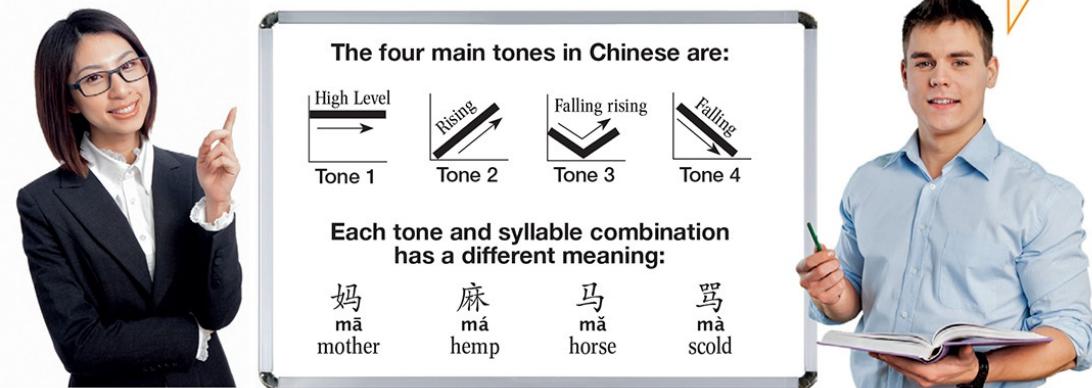
学汉语

Xué hàn yǔ

Learning Mandarin Chinese

1 中文不是一种难说的语言。
Zhōng wén bù shì yī zhǒng nán shuō de yǔ yán.
Chinese is not a difficult language to speak.

2 但是，要学习四个音调需要时间。
Dàn shì, yào xué xí sì gè yīn diào xū yào shí jiān.
But it takes time to learn the four tones.



4 单词卡 / 生词卡
dān cí kǎ / shēng cí kǎ
flashcards



5 书法
shū fǎ
calligraphy

3 困难的是学习书写中文字。
Kùn nán de shì xué xí shū xiě zhōng wén zì.
And learning all the written characters is difficult.



6 中文字

zhōng wén zì
Chinese character

7 简体字

jiǎn tǐ zì
simplified characters

学

(8 strokes)

xué
to study,
to learn

8 汉语拼音

hàn yǔ pīn yīn
the Pinyin transliteration system

9 繁体字

fán tǐ zì
traditional characters

學

Traditional

10 意思

yì sì
meaning

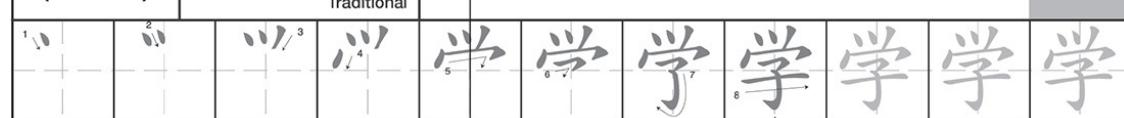
common words

学校 **xuéxiào** school
学习 **xuéxí** to study; learn
学生 **xuéshēng** student

11 部首

bù shǒu
radical

子



12 单词
dān cí
words

13 笔顺
bǐ shùn
stroke order

Additional Vocabulary

汉语

hàn yǔ

Chinese language

普通话

pǔ tōng huà

Mandarin; the common language of the Chinese people

中文

zhōng wén

Chinese (language)

词汇

cí huì

vocabulary

声 调

shēng diào

tone (of a Chinese character)

口 音

kǒu yīn

accent

成 语

chéng yǔ

idiom

句 子

jù zi

sentence

短 语

duǎn yǔ

phrase

短 文

duǎn wén

short essay

诗

shī

poem

文 章

wén zhāng

essay

文 化

wén huà

culture

语 法

yǔ fǎ

grammar

翻 译

fān yì

translation

语 言 学

yǔ yán xué

linguistics

课

kè

lesson

课 程

kè chéng

course; academic program

作 业

zuò yè

assignment

作 业 本

zuò yè běn

exercise book

简 单

jiǎn dān

simple

明 白

míng bái

to understand

容 易

róng yì

easy

困 难

kùn nán

difficult

训 练

xùn lià

to drill

努 力

nǔ lì

to strive

准 备

zhǔn bèi

to prepare

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量词

Liàng cí

Counting words

Also known as “measure words”



1 两包糖
liǎng bāo táng
two packets of sugar



2 三本书
sān běn shū
three books



3 一双鞋
yì shuāng xié
one pair of
shoes

4 五张票
wǔ zhāng piào
five tickets



6 一碗汤
yì wǎn tāng
one bowl of soup



5 八件衣服
bā jiàn yī fú
eight pieces of clothing

7 三辆车
sān liàng chē
three cars



8 一把椅子
yì bǎ yǐ zi
one chair



Counting words or measure words are used to quantify things, just as in English when we say “three sheets of paper” or “two cups of

coffee.”

Some common measure words in Chinese are listed below.

MEASURE WORDS	MAIN USES	EXAMPLES
包 bāo	Packets, packages, bundles	一包饼干 yì bāo bǐng gān a packet of cookies
本 běn	Books, periodicals, files, etc	一本字典 yì běn zì diǎn a dictionary
双 shuāng	Objects that come in pairs	两双袜子 liǎng shuāng wà zi two pairs of socks
件 jiàn	Events (issues, matters), clothing, furniture	三件行李箱 sān jiàn xíng lǐ xiāng three pieces of luggage
张 zhāng	Flat objects, sheets	四张照片 sì zhāng zhào piàn four photographs
碗 wǎn	Food served in bowl (e.g., rice, soup, noodles, etc.)	六碗米饭 liù wǎn mǐ fàn six bowls of rice
班 bān	Groups of people, scheduled transport services (e.g., train, planes)	下一班飞机 xià yī bān fēi jī the next flight
个 gè	General measure word for individual things, people	四个哥哥 sì gè gē ge four older brothers
辆 liàng	Vehicles (except trains)	几辆脚踏车 jǐ liàng jiǎo tà chē several bicycles
层 céng	Floor/story (as in a building) layer	第五层 dì wǔ céng the fifth floor
杯 bēi	Liquid (e.g., drinks/beverages) served in cups or glasses	一杯咖啡 yì bēi kā fēi a cup of coffee
把 bǎ	Objects with handles, small objects	一把伞 yì bǎ sǎn an umbrella
公斤 gōng jīn	kilogram (to express in weights)	一公斤苹果 yì gōng jīn píng guǒ 1 kg of apples



9 一班人
yì bān rén
one group of people

10 六个人
liù gè rén
six people



11 四层楼
sì céng lóu
four-story building



12 两杯茶
liǎng bēi chá
two cups of tea

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电脑和网络

Diàn nǎo hé wǎng luò

Computers and the Internet

1 电脑
diàn nǎo
computers

2 显示屏
xiǎn shì píng
screen



3 平板电脑
píng bǎn diàn nǎo
tablet



7 在中国很容易上网。
Zài Zhōng guó hěn róng yì shàng wǎng.
It is easy to get online in China.

4 台式电脑
tái shì diàn nǎo
desktop computer

5 键盘
jiàn pán
keyboard

6 笔记本电脑
bì jì běn diàn nǎo
laptop



8 电子游戏
diàn zǐ yóu xì
video game



9 鼠标垫
shǔ biāo diàn
mousepad



11 扫描
sǎo miáo
to scan



12 光盘
guāng pán
CD/DVD



13 U盘
U pán
USB flash drive



14 端口
duān kǒu
ports



15 电子邮件
diàn zǐ yóu jiàn
email

Additional Vocabulary

登入
dēng rù
to sign in

密 码
mì mǎ
password



网 站
wǎng zhàn
website

软 件
ruǎn jiàn
software

操 作 系 统
cāo zuò xì tǒng
operating system

病 毒
bìng dù
virus

文 件 夹

wén jiàn jiá

file

联网

lián wǎng

networking

网页

wǎng yè

web page

网页设计

wǎng yè shè jì

web design

网页地址

wǎng yè dì zhǐ

web address/URL

应用程序

yìng yòng chéng xù

application (computer program)

因特网接入

yīn tè wǎng jiē rù

Internet access



点击

diǎn jī

to click

下载

xià zài

to download

上网

shàng wǎng

to go online

网上

wǎng shàng

online

聊天室

liáo tiān shì

chat room

网卡

wǎng kǎ

network card

多媒体

duō méi tǐ

multimedia

博客 / 网志

bó kè / wǎng zhì

blog

浏览器

liú lǎn qì

browser

在线聊天

zài xiàn liáo tiān

to chat online

网络安全

wǎng luò ān quán

network security

发电子邮件

fā diàni zǐ yóu jiàn

to send email

网络搜索

wǎng luò sōu suǒ

online search

无线网络

wú xiàn wǎng luò

wifi

有线网络

yǒu xiàn wǎng luò

cable network

根据

gēn jù

according to

然后

rán hòu

after that

因为

yīn wéi

because

而且

ér qiě

in addition

非常

fēi cháng

extraordinary

我们上网聊天吧。

Wǒ men shàng wǎng liáo tiān ba.

Let's chat online.

你使用什么应用程序？我使用微信。

Nǐ shǐ yòng shén me yìng yòng chéng xù? Wǒ shǐ yòng wēi xìn.

What app do you use? I use WeChat.

好吧，我现在通过电脑把文件发送给你。

Hǎo ba, wǒ xiànl zài tōng guò diàn nǎo bǎ wén jiàn fā sòng gěi nǐ.

Okay, I'm now sending you the documents via computer.

49

我的爱好是网络游戏。

Wǒ de ài hào shì wǎng luò yóu xì.

My hobby is online gaming.



24

我爱我的智能手机！

Wǒ ài wǒ de zhì néng shǒu jī!

I love my smartphone!

1 智能手机
zhì néng shǒu jī
smartphone



3 网购
wǎng gòu
online shopping

4 网吧
wǎng bā
internet cafes

5 推特
Tuī tè
Twitter



6 微信
wēi xìn
WeChat



7 安卓手机
Ān zhuó shǒu jī
Android phones



8 苹果手机
Píng guǒ shǒu jī
Apple phones
(iPhones)

9 手机
shǒu jī
mobile phone



10 打电话
dǎ diàni huà
to make a phone call

11 接电话
jiē diàni huà
to receive a phone call



Additional Vocabulary

电话号码

diàn huà hào mǎ

telephone number

网 络

wǎng luò

network; Internet

网络语言

wǎng luò yǔ yán

Internet language

收发短信

shōu fā duǎn xìn

texting

互联网俚语

hù lián wǎng lì yǔ

Internet slang

电话充电器

diàn huà chōng diàn qì

phone charger

电 话 卡

diàn huà kǎ

phone cards

长途电话

cháng tú diàn huà

long distance call

国家代码

guó jiā dài mǎ

country code

区域号码

qū yù hào mǎ

area code

视 频

shì pín

video

用户识别卡

yòng hù shí bié kǎ

SIM card



12 强信号
qiáng xìng hào
strong signal



13 弱信号
ruò xìng hào
weak signal

14 自拍
zì pāi
selfie

15 群拍
qún pāi
wefie



Some common telephone phrases:

喂！ / 我是 (name)。

Wéi? / **Wǒ shì (name).**

Hello? / This is (name).

请问 (name) 在吗？

Qǐng wèn (name) zài ma?

May I speak to (name)?

请他/她给我回个电话。

Qǐng tā/tā gěi wǒ huí gè diàn huà.

Please ask him/her to return my call.

现在说话方便吗？

Xiàne zài shuō huà fāng biàn ma?

Is it convenient to talk now?

你能说大声点吗？

Nǐ néng shuō dà shēng diǎn ma?

Could you speak up?

对不起，你打错了。

Duì bù qǐ, nǐ dǎ cuò le.

Sorry, you dialed the wrong number.

请等一下。

Qǐng děng yī xià.

Please wait a moment.

请留言。

Qǐng liú yán.

Please leave a message.

请问是谁？

Qǐng wèn shì shéi?

Who's calling, please?

你能说慢点吗？

Nǐ néng shuō màn diǎn ma?

Could you speak a little slower?



16 阿里巴巴
Ā lǐ bā ba
Alibaba



17 百度
Bǎi dù
Baidu



18 脸书
Liǎn shū
Facebook



19 谷歌
Gǔ gē
Google



20 淘宝网
Táo bǎo wǎng
Taobao



21 腾讯
Téng xùn
Tencent



22 苹果公司
Píng guǒ gōng sī
Apple



23 微软
Wēi ruǎn
Microsoft

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谈工作

Tán gōng zuò

At work



1 律师
lǜ shī
lawyer



2 法官
fǎ guān
judge



9 建筑师
jiàn zhù shī
architect

10 话务员
huà wù yuán
telephone operator



3 金融家
jīn róng jiā
financier



4 工程师
gōng chéng shī
engineer



15 办公室
bàn gōng shì
office



5 会计师
kuài jì shī
accountant



6 药剂师
yào jì shī
pharmacist



7 艺术家
yì shù jiā
artist



8 音乐家
yīn yuè jiā
musician



16 经理
jīng lǐ
manager

17 秘书
mì shū
secretary



11 厨师
chú shī
chef



12 摄影师
shè yǐng shī
photographer



13 飞行员
fēi xíng yuán
pilot



14 牙医
yá yī
dentist



18 消防员
xiāo fáng yuán
firefighter



19 农民
nóng mǐn
farmer

Additional Vocabulary

公司
gōng sī

company

企业家

qǐ yè jiā

entrepreneur

检查

jiǎn chá

to inspect

上班

shàng bān

going to work

同事

tóng shì

colleague

工作

gōng zuò

work

员工

yuán gōng

employee

学徒

xué tú

apprentice

实习

shí xí

to intern

轮班

lún bān

shift work

加班

jiā bān

to work overtime

服务员

fú wù yuán

service provider

办法

bàn fǎ

method

机会

jī huì

opportunity

职位

zhí wèi

position

总是

zǒng shì

always

36 你做什么样的工作？我在医院工作。

Nǐ zuò shéi me yàng de gōng zuò? Wǒ zài yī yuàn gōng zuò.

What sort of work do you do? I work in a hospital.

37 我正在接受培训，将要成为一名医生。

Wǒ zhèng zài jiē shòu péi xùn, jiāng yào chéng wéi yī míng yī shēng.

I'm training to be a doctor.

38 我每天早上8点45分上班去。

Wǒ měi tiān zǎo shàng 8 diǎn 45 fēn shàng bān qù.

I go to work at 8:45 a.m. every morning.



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载歌载舞

zǎi gē zài wǔ

Music and dance



1 吉他
jí tā
guitar



2 琵琶
pí pá
pipa



3 小提琴
xiǎo tí qín
violin



4 二胡
èr hú
Chinese
2-string fiddle



5 跳舞
tiào wǔ
to dance



6 鼓
gǔ
drums



7 古筝
gǔ zhēng
Chinese zither



8 钢琴
gāng qín
piano



9 喇叭
lǎ bā
trumpet



10 笛子
dí zi
flute



11 卡拉OK
kǎ lā o k
karaoke

12 唱歌
chàng gē
to sing



13 音乐会
yīn yuè huì
concert

14 观众
guān zhòng
audience

Additional Vocabulary

欣 赏

xīn shǎng

to appreciate; to enjoy

音 乐

yīn yuè

music

舞 蹈

wǔ dǎo

dance (performance art)

表 演

biǎo yǎn

to perform

节 目

jié mù

program

流 行 音 乐

liú xíng yīn yuè

pop music

弹

tán

to play a string instrument

耳 机

ěr jī

earphones

演 奏

yǎn zòu

to perform (on a musical instrument)

乐 队

yuè duì

band; orchestra

歌 手

gē shǒu

singer

兴 趣

xìng qù

hobby

有 名

yǒu míng

famous

表 示

biǎo shì

to express



15 京戏
jīng xì¹
Beijing opera

16 演员
yǎn yuán¹
actor; actress



17 大提琴
dà tí qín¹
cello



18 流行乐队
liú xíng yuè duì¹
pop group

33 你会弹吉他吗？

Nǐ huì tán jí tā ma?

Can you play the guitar?



34 你喜欢哪种音乐？

Nǐ xǐ huān nǎ zhǒng yīn yuè?

What kind of music do you like?

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看病

kàn bìng

Seeing a doctor



Additional Vocabulary

等候室
děng hòu shì
waiting room

预约
yù yuē
appointment

救护车
jiù hù chē
ambulance

牙科
yā kē
dentistry

内科
nèi kē
general medicine

外科
wài kē
general surgery

五官科
wǔ guān kē
ear, nose, and throat

儿科
ér kē
pediatrics

妇 科

fù kē

gynecology

眼 科

yǎn kē

ophthalmology

皮 肤 科

pí fū kē

dermatology

肿 瘤 科

zhǒng líu kē

oncology

物 理 疗 法

wù lǐ liáo fǎ

physiotherapy

神 经 内 科

shén jīng nèi kē

neurology

放 射 科

fàng shè kē

radiology

意 外

yì wài

accident

药 方

yào fāng

prescription

防腐剂

fáng fǔ jì

antiseptic

药膏

yào gāo

ointment

伤口

shāng kǒu

wound; cut

紧急

jǐn jí

emergency

疼

téng

hurts

累

lèi

tired; worn out

觉得

jué dé

to feel

从

cóng

from

几 次

jǐ cì

several times

担 心

dān xīn

anxious; worried

发 现

fā xiàn

to discover

放 心

fàng xīn

to feel reassured

关 心

guān xīn

to be concerned about

关 于

guān yú

pertaining to

希 望

xī wàng

hope

重 要

zhòng yào

important

主 要

zhǔ yào

main

药 箱

yào xiāng
first aid kit

54 绷 带
bēng dài
bandage



我感到不适。

Wǒ gǎn dào bú shì.

I am not feeling well.

我要看医生。

Wǒ yào kàn yī shēng.

I would like to see a doctor.

你有预约吗？

Nǐ yǒu yù yuē ma?

Do you have an appointment?

55 哪里不舒服？

Nǎ lǐ bù shū fu?

What is wrong?



56 我发烧和喉咙痛。

Wǒ fā shāo hé hóu lóng tòng

I have a fever and a sore throat.

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保护我们的环境

Bǎo hù wǒ men de huán jìng

Protecting our environment



1 花园
huā yuán
garden

2 花
huā
flower



3 公园
gōng yuán
park



4 污染
wū rǎn
pollution



5 草
cǎo
grass



7 海洋
hǎi yáng
ocean



8 河
hé
river



9 太阳能
tài yáng néng
solar energy



6 电动汽车
diàn dòng qì chē
electric car



10 安静
ān jìng
quiet



43 这里的空气真清新！
Zhè lǐ de kōng qì zhēn qīng xīn!
The air here is really fresh!

11 空气
kōng qì
air



12 风能
fēng néng
wind power



13 防沙林
fáng shā lín
sand break

14 森林
sēn lín
forest



16 天然气
tiān rán qì
natural gas



15 树
shù
tree



17 核能
hé néng
nuclear energy

Additional Vocabulary

干 净

gān jìng

clean

种

zhòng

plant

回 收

huí shōu

recycling

清 洁 能 源

qīng jié néng yuán

clean energy

油

yóu

oil

煤

méi

coal

空 气 质 量

kōng qì zhì liàng

air quality

指 数 / 索 引

zhǐ shù/suǒ yǐn

index

水

shuǐ

water

清 洁

qīng jié

clean

环 境

huánjìng

environment

口罩/面具

kǒuzhào/miàn jù

mask

变 化

biàn huà

changes

地

dì

earth; ground

被

bèi

by

为

wèi

because of

为了

wèi le

for the purpose of

完

wán

complete

完成

wán chéng

to accomplish

影响

yǐng xiǎng

to affect

但是

dàn shì

but; however

当然

dāng rán

of course

如果

rú guǒ

if

虽然

suīrán

although

所以

suǒyǐ

as a result of

44

你回收吗？

Nǐ huí shōu ma?

Do you recycle?

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我回收玻璃、

Wǒ huí shōu bō lí,

纸和塑料。

zhǐ hé sù liào.

I recycle glass, paper
and plastic.



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动物世界

Dòng wù shì jiè

The animal kingdom



1 动物园
dòng wù yuán
zoo

2 斑马
bān mǎ
zebra



3 长颈鹿
cháng jǐng lù
giraffe



4 老虎
lǎo hǔ
tiger

5 狮子
shī zi
lion



6 熊
xióng
bear



10 恐龙
kǒng lóng
dinosaur



7 猴子
hóu zi
monkey



8 大猩猩
dà xīng xìng
gorilla



9 熊猫
xióng māo
panda

这只动物比那只小。
Zhè zhī dòng wù bǐ nà zhī xiǎo.

This animal is smaller than that one.

你喜欢去动物园吗？

Nǐ xǐ huān qù dòng wù yuán ma?

Do you like going to the zoo?

动物园里有很多动物。

Dòng wù yuán lǐ yǒu hěn duō dòng wù.

There are many animals in the zoo.



11 羊
yáng
goat



12 绵羊
mián yáng
sheep



13 牛
niú
cow



14 大象
dà xiàng
elephant



15 马
mǎ
horse



16 狼
láng
wolf



17 蛇
shé
snake



18 孔雀
kǒng què
peacock



19 鸡
jī
chicken



20 鸟
niǎo
bird



21 狗
gǒu
dog



22 猫
māo
cat



23 龙
lóng
dragon



24 蚊子
wén zi
mosquito



25 苍蝇
cāng yīng
housefly



26 蜜蜂
mì fēng
bee



27 蝴蝶
hú dié
butterfly



28 鱼
yú
fish

Additional Vocabulary

多么

duō me

how (wonderful, etc.)

害怕

hài pà

to be afraid

可爱

kě ài

cute; adorable

它

tā

it

太

tài

very; extremely

相同

xiāng tóng

same; identical

像

xiàng

to resemble

出现

chū xiàn

to appear

敢

gǎn

to dare

奇 怪

qí guài

strange

30

让我们保持健康！

Ràng wǒ men bǎo chí jiàn kāng!

Let's keep fit!



1 乒乓球
pīng pāng qiú
table tennis



2 踢足球
tī zú qiú
to play soccer



3 橄榄球
gǎn lǎn qiú
rugby



4 爬山
pá shān
mountain climbing



5 羽毛球
yǔ máo qiú
badminton



6 运动
yùn dòng
to exercise;
sports



7 棒球
bàng qiú
baseball



8 短跑
duǎn pǎo
sprint

9 跑步
pǎo bù
running

10 长跑
cháng pǎo
long-distance
running



11 自行车
zì xíng chē
bicycle



12 骑自行车
qí zì xíng chē
to cycle



13 比赛
bì sài
competition



14 终点线
zhōng diǎn xiàn
finish line



18 划船
huá chuán
rowing



19 游泳
yóu yǒng
swimming



15 高尔夫球
gāo ěr fū qiú
golf

16 滑冰
huá bīng
ice-skating



17 滑雪
huá xuě
skiing

Additional Vocabulary

运动装

yùn dòng zhuāng

sports shirt; sweatshirt

运动鞋

yùn dòng xié

sports shoes; sneakers

球

qiú

ball

健 康

jiàn kāng

healthy



20 排 球

pái qiú

volleyball

21 走

zǒu

walking

你喜欢运动吗？

Nǐ xǐ huān yùn dòng ma?

Do you like to exercise?

你做什么运动？

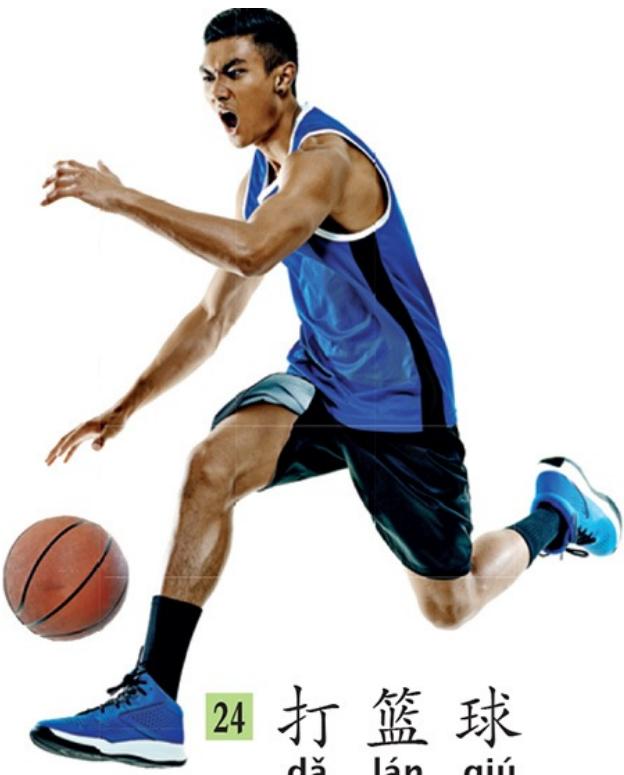
Nǐ zuò shěn me yùn dòng?

What sports do you play?

我喜欢慢跑和打篮球。

Wǒ xǐ huān mǎn pǎo hé dǎ lán qiú.

I like to jog and play basketball.



24 打籃球
dǎ lán qiú
play basketball

22 网球
wǎng qiú
tennis

23 球拍
qiú pāi
racket



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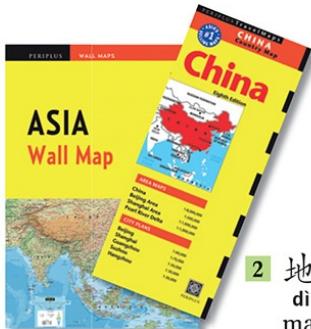
你喜欢旅行吗？

Nǐ xǐ huān lǚ xíng ma?

Do you like to travel?



1 旅 馆
lǚ guǎn
hotel



2 地 图
dì tú
map



3 旅 客
lǚ kè
traveler



6 导 游
dǎo yóu
tour guide



7 旅 游 景 点
lǚ yóu jǐng diǎn
tourist attraction



8 护 照
hù zhào
passport

9 登 机 牌
dēng jī pái
boarding pass



10 乘 飞 机 旅 行
chéng fēi jī lǚ xíng
travel by airplane



11 乘 火 车 旅 行
chéng huǒ chē lǚ xíng
travel by rail



12 在 巡 航
zài xún háng
on a cruise



13 乘 坐 旅 游 巴 壴 旅 行
chéng zuò lǚ yóu bā shì lǚ xíng
on a coach



14 礼 品 店
lǐ pǐn diàn
souvenir shop



15 照 相 机
zhào xiàng jī
camera

16 照 片
zhào piàn
photograph

Additional Vocabulary

旅游

lǚ yóu

a trip; to travel

度假

dù jià

vacation

机票

jī piào

plane ticket

旅馆预订

lǚ guǎn yù dìng

hotel reservation

货币

huò bì

currency

签证

qiān zhèng

visa

旅行指南

lǚ xíng zhǐ nán

travel guidebook

旅行社

lǚ xíng shè

travel agency

接 种 疫 苗

jiē zhǒng yì miáo

vaccination

青 年 旅 馆

qīng nián lǚ guǎn

youth hostel

海 关

hǎi guān

customs

观 光 旅 游

guān guāng lǚ yóu

sightseeing

旅 游 信 息 台

lǚ yóu xìnxī tái

tourist information center

明 信 片

míng xìn piàn

postcard

免 费 无 线 网 络

miǎn fèi wú xiàn wǎng luò

free wifi

博 物 馆

bó wù guǎn

museum

海 滩

hǎi tān

beach

纪念碑

jì niàn bēi

monument

火车站

huǒ chē zhàn

train station

机场

jī chǎng

airport

游轮中心

yóu lún zhōng xīn

cruise center

宾馆

bīn guǎn

guesthouse; lodge

饭馆

fàn guǎn

restaurant

找着

zháo zhe

to find

拿

ná

to take

遇 到

yù dào

to come across

注 意

zhù yì

to pay attention to

知 道

zhī dào

to become aware of

别

bié

another

别 人

bié rén

others

可 能

kě néng

maybe

48 你喜欢去哪里度假？

Nǐ xǐ huān qù nǎ lǐ dù jià?

Where do you like to go on vacation?

49 我喜欢去北京。

Wǒ xǐ huān qù Běi jīng.

I like to go to Beijing.



我要一张去上海的二等座返程火车票。

Wǒ yào yì zhāng qù Shàng hǎi de èr děng zuò fǎn chéng huǒ chē piào.

I'd like a second class return train ticket to Shanghai.

他环游世界旅行。

Tā huán yóu shì jiè lǚ xíng.

He made a round-the-world trip.

我喜欢乘坐同一家航空公司的飞机，以获得里程积分。

Wǒ xǐ huān chéng zuò tóng yì jiā hàng kōng gōng sī de fēi jī, yǐ huò dé lǐ chéng jī fēn.

I like to fly on the same airline to get mileage points.

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世界上的国家

Shì jiè shàng de guó jiā

Countries of the world



1 东南亚国家

Dōng nán yà guó jiā
Countries in Southeast Asia



2 泰国

Tài guó
Thailand



7 柬埔寨

Jiǎn pǔ zhài
Cambodia



10 新加坡

Xīn jiā pō
Singapore

3 缅甸

Miǎn diàn
Myanmar



6 老挝

Lǎo wō
Laos

8 马来西亚

Mǎ lái xī yá
Malaysia

5 菲律宾

Fēi lù bīn
Philippines



9 文莱

Wén lái
Brunei

12 东帝汶

Dōng dì wèn
East Timor

我们打算到中国举行结婚典礼。

Wǒ men dǎ suàn dào Zhōng guó jǔ xíng jié hūn diǎn lǐ.

We intend to hold our wedding ceremony in China.

你是哪国人？我是美国人。

Nǐ shì nǎ guó rén? Wǒ shì Měi guó rén.

What country are you from? I am American.

13 世界七大洲
Shì jiè qī dà zhōu
Seven continents of the world



加拿大 Jiā nádà Canada

丹麦 Dān mài Denmark

芬兰 Fēn lán Finland

德国 **Dé guó** Germany

大不列颠 **Dà bù liè diān** Great Britain

爱尔兰 **Ài' ěr lán** Ireland

卢森堡 **Lú sēn bǎo** Luxembourg

荷兰 **Hé lán** Netherlands

新西兰 **Xīn xī lán** New Zealand

挪威 **Nuó wēi** Norway

波兰 **Bō lán** Poland

俄国 **É guó** Russia

瑞典 **Ruì diǎn** Sweden

瑞士 **Ruì shì** Switzerland

梵蒂冈 **Fàn dì gāng** Vatican

Additional Vocabulary

地 球

dì qiú

globe

世 界

shì jiè

world

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外语

wài yǔ

Foreign languages

4 德语
Dé yǔ
German

Guten Tag!



1 英语
Yīng yǔ
English



2 法语
Fǎ yǔ
French



3 俄语
É yǔ
Russian



5 意大利语
Yì dà lì yǔ
Italian



6 西班牙语
Xī bān yá yǔ
Spanish



7 土耳其语
Tú ěr qí yǔ
Turkish

8 日语
Rì yǔ
Japanese

9 阿拉伯语
Ā lā bó yǔ
Arabic



你的母语是什么？
Nǐ de mǔ yǔ shì shén me?
What is your mother tongue?

你会讲多少种语言？

Nǐ huì jiǎng duō shǎo zhǒng yǔ yán?

How many languages do you speak?

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你喜欢吃中国饭吗？

Nǐ xǐ huān chī Zhōng guó fàn ma?

Do you like Chinese food?



1 中 餐 馆
zhōng cān guǎn
Chinese restaurant



2 服 务 员
fú wù yuán
waiter; waitress



3 厨 师
chú shī
cook; chef



4 菜 单
cài dān
menu



5 点 心
diǎn xīn
dim sum



6 炒 饭
chǎo fàn
fried rice



7 面 包
miàn bāo
bread

8 筷 子
kuài zi
chopsticks



9 碗
wǎn
bowl



10 米 饭
mǐ fàn
cooked rice

11 白 饭
bái fàn
white rice



12 盘 子
pán zì
plate

13 叉 子
chā zi
fork



14 刀 子
dāo zi
knife

15 汤 匙
tāng chí
spoon



16 饺子
jiǎo zi
boiled dumplings



17 凉菜
liáng cài
cold dish (appetizer)



18 包子
bāo zǐ
steamed bun



19 小笼包
xiǎo lóng bāo
steamed dumplings



20 北京烤鸭
Běi jīng kǎo yā
Peking duck



21 面条
miàn tiáo
noodles



22 清蒸鱼
qīng zhēng yú
steamed fish



23 宫保鸡丁
gōng bǎo jī dīng
kung pao chicken



24 麻婆豆腐
má pó dòu fǔ
mapo tofu



25 糖醋肉
táng cù ròu
sweet and sour pork



34 我们都喜欢吃中国菜。
Wǒ men dōu xǐ huān chī Zhōng guó cài.
Everyone likes to eat Chinese food.

35 今晚我请你吃饭。
Jīn wǎn wǒ qǐng nǐ chī fàn.
I'm inviting you for dinner tonight.

36 太好了，我想吃中国菜。
Tài hǎo le, wǒ xiǎng chī Zhōng guó cài.
That's great! I want to eat Chinese food.

Additional Vocabulary

汤

tāng

soup

素 菜

sù cài

vegetarian

点 菜

diǎn cài

to order

选 择

xuǎn zé

choice

特 别

tè bié

special

除 了

chú le

also; too

或 者

huò zhě

perhaps

几 乎

jī hū

almost

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小 姐...

xiǎo jiě...

Miss...

(waitress)



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受欢迎的西方食物

Shòu huān yíng de xī fāng shí wù

Popular Western foods



1 热狗
rè gǒu
hot dog



2 三明治 / 三文治
sān míng zhì / sān wén zhì
sandwich



3 披萨饼
pī sà bǐng
pizza



4 意大利面
yì dà lì miàn
pasta; spaghetti



5 甜甜圈
tián tián quān
donuts



6 法棍
fǎ gùn
baguette



7 冰淇淋
bīng qí lín
ice cream



8 布丁
bù dīng
pudding



9 千层面
qiān céng miàn
lasagne



10 火鸡
huǒ jī
turkey



11 苹果派
píng guǒ pài
apple pie



12 火腿
huǒ tuǐ
ham

13 沙拉
shā lā
salad



15 牛排
niú pái
steak

14 土豆泥
tǔ dòu ní
mashed potatoes



16 香肠
xiāng cháng
sausage

17 西方式早餐
xī fāng shì zǎo cān
Western breakfast

19 咖啡
kā fēi
coffee

20 培根,
péi gēn,
腌肉
yān ròu
bacon; smoked ham



21 煎鸡蛋
jiān jī dàn
sunny side up eggs

22 多士
duō shì
toast

18 水果汁
shuǐ guǒ zhī
fruit juice

一些在中国受欢迎的快餐店
Yī xiē zài Zhōng guó shòu huānyíng de kuàicān diàn
Some popular fast food chains in China



星巴克
xīng bā kè
Starbucks



麦当劳
mài dāng láo
McDonald's



肯德基
kěn dé jī
Kentucky Fried Chicken



必胜客
bì shèng kè
Pizza Hut



赛百味
sài bǎi wèi
Subway



哈根达斯
hā gēn dá sī
Haagen-Dazs



23 蛋糕
dàn gāo
cake



24 奶酪
nǎi lào
cheese



25 谷类
gǔ lèi
cereal



26 麦片
mài piàn
oatmeal;
rolled oats

Additional Vocabulary

西 餐

xī cān

Western-style food

好 吃

hǎo chī

tasty; delicious

烧 烤

shāo kǎo

barbecue

烘 烤

hōng kǎo

to roast; to bake

煎 饼

jiān bǐng

pancakes

奶 油

nǎi yóu

butter/cream

酸 奶

suān nǎi

yogurt

番 茄 酱

fān qié jiàng

ketchup; tomato sauce

麦当劳是中国受欢迎的快餐店。

Màidāngláo shì Zhōngguó shòuhuānyíng de kuàicāndiàn.

McDonalds is a popular fast food restaurant in China.

小孩子们都喜欢吃汉堡包和薯条。

Xiǎoháizi mén dōu xǐ huān chī hàn bāo hé shǔ tiáo.

All children like hamburgers and french fries.

你喜欢吃中餐还是西餐？

Nǐ xǐ huān chī zhōngcān háishì xīcān?

Do you prefer Chinese food or Western food?

27 汉堡包

hàn bǎo bāo

hamburger



28 薯条

shǔ tiáo

french fries

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饮料

Yǐn liào

Drinks





18 鸡尾酒
jī wěi jiǔ
cocktails

19 红葡萄酒
hóng pú táo jiǔ
red wine



20 白葡萄酒
bái pú táo jiǔ
white wine



21 威士忌
wēi shì jì
whiskey



22 香槟酒
xiāng bīn jiǔ
Champagne



23 白酒
bái jiǔ
white spirit



24 黄酒
huáng jiǔ
yellow wine



25 茅台酒
máo tái jiǔ
maotai

26 啤酒
pí jiǔ
beer



Additional Vocabulary

苏打水
sū dǎ shuǐ
sodas

办公室饮水机

bàn gōng shì yǐn shuǐ jī

office water dispenser

29 热水

rè shuǐ

hot water

30 冷水

lěng shuǐ

cold water



冰块

bīng kuài

ice cubes

冰水

bīng shuǐ

ice water

杯子

bēi zi

glass; cup

瓶子

píng zi

bottle

人们每天应该喝多少杯水？

Rén men měi tiān yīng gāi hé duō shǎo bēi shuǐ?

How many glasses of water should people drink every day?

喝酒不开车。开车不喝酒。

Hē jiǔ bù kāi chē. Kāi chē bù hē jiǔ.

If you drive, don't drink. If you drink, don't drive.

我想喝点热的饮料。

Wǒ xiǎng hē diǎn rè de yǐn liào.

I want something hot to drink.

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新鲜水果、坚果和谷物

Xīn xiān shuǐ guǒ, jiān guǒ hé gǔ
wù

Fresh fruits, nuts and grains



50 我最爱吃新鲜水果。
 Wǒ zuì ài chī xīn xiān shuǐ gǔo.
 I love to eat fresh fruits.





51 我可以再要一个没
Wǒ kě yǐ zài yào yī gè méi
有坚果的沙拉吗?
yǒu jiān guǒ de shā lā ma?
Can I have one more salad
without nuts?



Additional Vocabulary

谷 物

gǔ wù

grains; cereals

坚 果

jiān guǒ

nuts

饼 干

bǐng gān

crackers

麦 片

mài piàn

oatmeal

干 果

gān guǒ

dried fruits

豆 类

dòu lèi

beans

玉 米

yù mǐ

corn

面 粉

miàn fěn

flour

果汁

guǒ zhī

fruit juice

过敏

guò mǐn

to be allergic; allergy

你喜欢什么坚果？

Nǐ xǐ huān shén me jiān guǒ?

What nuts do you like?

我喜欢腰果。你呢？

Wǒ xǐ huān yāo guǒ. Nǐ ne?

I like cashew nuts. What about you?

我对坚果过敏。

Wǒ duì jiān guǒ guò mǐn.

I am allergic to nuts.

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市场上

Shì chǎng shàng

At the market



在中国，我们喜欢在菜市场购买食物。

Zài Zhōng guó, wǒ men xǐ huān zài cài shì chǎng gòu mǎi shí wù.

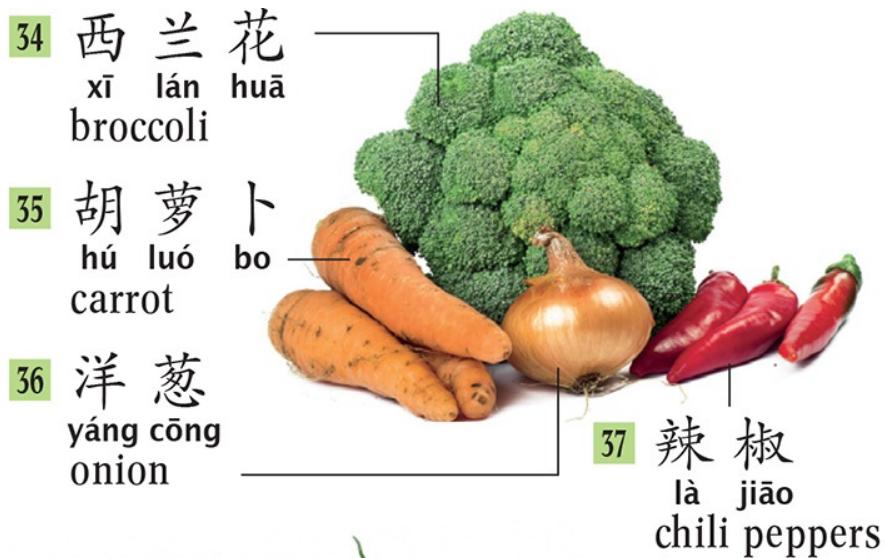
In China, we like to buy our food at the local market.

那里的蔬菜和肉类都很新鲜。它比超市便宜一些。

Nà lǐ de shū cài hé ròu lèi dōu hěn xīn xiān. Tā bǐ chāo shì pián yí yì xiē.

The vegetables and meat are very fresh there. And it is slightly

cheaper than the supermarket.





39 冬瓜
dōng guā
winter melon



40 苦瓜
kǔ guā
bitter gourd



41 白菜
bái cài
Chinese cabbage



42 豆腐
dòu fǔ
tofu

Additional Vocabulary

市 场
shì chǎng
market

高 丽 菜 / 卷 心 菜
gāo lì cài/juǎn xīn cài
cabbage

花 椰 菜
huā yē cài
cauliflower

豆角

dòu jiǎo

green beans; string beans

南瓜

nán guā

pumpkin

芦笋

lú sǔn

asparagus

意大利青瓜

yì dà lì qīng guā

zucchini

九层塔

jiǔ céng tǎ

basil

牛至

niú zhì

oregano

鼠尾草

shǔ wěi cǎo

sage

百里香

bǎi lǐ xiāng

thyme

龙蒿

lóng hāo

tarragon

碎 牛 肉

suì niú ròu

ground/minced beef

碎 猪 肉

suì zhū ròu

ground/minced pork

肉 类

ròu lèi

types of meat

新 鲜

xīn xiān

fresh

61 调味料

tiáo wèi liào
seasonings



62 酱 油
jiàng yóu
soy sauce



63 辣 椒 酱
là jiāo jiàng
chili sauce



64 芝 麻 油
zhī má yóu
sesame oil



65 橄 榄 油
gǎn lǎn yóu
olive oil



66 蚝 油
hào yóu
oyster sauce



67 辣椒粉
là jiāo fěn
chili powder



68 胡椒粉
hú jiāo fěn
ground pepper



69 盐
yán
salt

70 桂皮
guì pí
cinnamon



71 八角
bā jiǎo
star anise



72 姜黄粉
jiāng huáng fěn
ground turmeric

Additional Vocabulary

豆瓣酱

dòu bàn jiàng

soybean paste

醋

cù

vinegar

糖

táng

sugar; candy

料 酒

liào jiǔ

cooking wine

米 酒

mǐ jiǔ

rice wine

米 醋

mǐ cù

rice vinegar

五 香 粉

wǔ xiāng fěn

five-spice powder

味 精

wèi jīng

monosodium glutamate (MSG)

咖 �喱 粉

gā lí fěn

curry powder

淀 粉

diàn fěn

starch

食 油

shí yóu

cooking oil

花生油

huā shēng yóu

peanut oil

椰子油

yē zi yóu

coconut oil

棕榈油

zōng lú yóu

palm oil

一旦你拥有所有的配料，中国菜很容易做。

Yī dàn nǐ yǒng yǒu suǒ yǒu de pèi liào, Zhōng guó cài hěn róng yì zuò.

Chinese food is easy to cook once you have all the ingredients.

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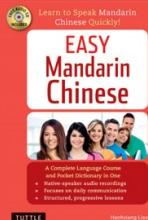
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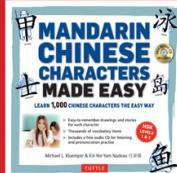
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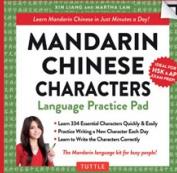
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